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# WILSON WARS ON SENATE

## WILSON TAKES OATH OF OFFICE FOR NEW TERM

### Wife Is Only Woman at Ceremony—Repeats Rites Today.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)  
Washington, D. C., March 4.—[Special.]—With preparations complete for the formal inauguration tomorrow, President Wilson was sworn in as president of the United States at 12:34 p. m. today. He will take the oath again tomorrow.

Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court delivered the oath which started the president on his second term of four years. The ceremony took place in the president's room at the capitol and was marked by its extreme simplicity.

Not more than fifty persons witnessed the ceremony, none of the president's family except his wife and his daughter, Joseph Wilson, being present. The rest of the audience was composed of the most part of members of the cabinet, newspaper men, and secret service operatives.

In addition to these, Vance McCord, chairman of the Democratic national committee; Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port of New York; Dr. C. T. Grayson, the president's physician; and Frank P. Glass of the American Publishers association were present.

### OATH TAKEN PROMPTLY.

The chief justice began delivering the oath to the president with two minutes after five bells had been rung signaling the end of the Sixty-fourth congress and the defeat of the bill to give the president authority to arm American ships.

The president and the chief justice stood on either side of the clerk of the court, who held a Bible in his hand. Wilson placed his hand on the Bible, his mouth resting on the verse: "The Lord is true, the kingdoms were made by his uttered his voice, the earth is settled."

Then the president repeated phrase by phrase after the chief justice the following oath of office:

"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States."

### "LORD IS OUR REFUGE."

As the chief justice finished these words the president kissed the Bible, his lips touching on this passage: "God is our refuge and strength; a very present help in time of trouble."

The president and the chief justice then signed the oath recorded on the left leaf of the Bible, which is the same as the one which Mr. Wilson took the eight years ago and previously as governor of New Jersey. The president turned with a smile and presented the Bible to Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Wilson was the only woman in the room. She was attired in black, her hair having died recently.

As the president left the capitol he was enthusiastically applauded by the crowds that had remained for the close of the ceremony.

### AWAIT CEREMONY TODAY.

Tonight the capitol, filled with the thousands who have come from the four corners of the nation for the quadrennial event, was a-tiptoe in anticipation of tomorrow's demonstration. Rain threatened, but the weather man's forecast was that it feared the ceremonies would be conducted under unfavorable circumstances.

After the president has taken the oath again, vice President Marshall will preside, and will deliver his inaugural address on an open air stand before the capitol. He will ride back to the White House in the head of a parade of many thousands. Then he will review the national guardsmen forming a military line on either side of the line of march. Not since Lincoln's second inauguration during the civil war have so many been stationed to keep spectators from an inaugural parade.

## THE NATION IS BEHIND YOU, WOODROW



## W. J. CAVANAGH, U. OF C. ATHLETE, KILLED IN CRASH

Walter J. Cavanagh, former University of Chicago football player and All-American star, general manager of the Toledo Coil Wire Products company, died yesterday as the result of an automobile accident in Toledo, where he had lived for the last eighteen months. He was driving alone when he struck a culvert and was thrown through the windshield. A farmer found him yesterday morning and removed him to a hospital.

Cavanagh was the son of James Cavanagh of Kenosha, a Wisconsin bar leader. After leaving the University of Chicago he worked with several Kenosha manufacturing concerns. He served six months in the regular army and was honorably discharged. In 1906 he married Miss Edith Murray Brown, daughter of C. C. Brown, president of the First National bank of Kenosha.

## BERLIN REPORTS SEA GIANT SUNK

### Transport of 35,000 Tons Torpedoed—British Destroyer Lost.

Ships, Tonnage.  
Ships sunk since Feb. 1, 1917 514,559  
Ships sunk yesterday or before, but reported yesterday 4 21,501

NATIONALITY.  
American 3 British 110  
Other neutrals 53 Other catches 28

BERLIN, March 1, by wireless to Sayville, March 4.—An armed transport steamer of 34,494 tons, with about 500 colonial troops, artillery and horses on board, was sunk by a German submarine in the Mediterranean on Feb. 24, the admiral announced today. Some of the troops on board were lost. A troop laden transport of about 5,000 tons was sunk on Feb. 23. It was also announced.

Berlin Official Report.  
The statement reads:  
German submarines have sunk the following vessels in the barred zone of the Mediterranean:  
Feb. 17, south of Malta, transport steamer of about 9,000 tons, filled with cargo and escorted by three vessels, steering eastward.  
Feb. 23, transport steamer, about 5,000 tons, crowded with troops, escorted by vessels; transport steamer, about 5,000 tons, with cargo, also escorted.  
Feb. 24, armed transport steamer, 34,494 tons, with about 500 colonial troops, artillery and horses on board. Part of the troops were drowned.

Thirteen Other Ships Sunk.  
In addition to the transport steamer reported sunk, thirteen vessels, totaling 25,160 tons, were destroyed in the Mediterranean recently. Among them were the Italian steamers Oceanus, 4,200 tons, with grain from America to Italy; British steamer Corvo, 3,264 tons, with concealed armament and carrying 5,000 tons of manganese ore; Huseid, and cotton from Bombay to Hull; armed Italian steamer Prudentia, 3,807 tons, with Indian corn from Argentina to Italy; Swedish steamer Skogland, 2,900 tons, with coal from Norfolk to Italy.

## THE WEATHER.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

Sunrise, 6:18; sunset, 5:45. Moon sets at 5:08.

Chicago and vicinity—Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; rising temperature; winds shifting to southerly and increasing Monday night.

Illinois—Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; rising temperature; winds shifting to southerly and increasing Monday night.

Indiana—Snow Monday, followed by fair; Tuesday fair and warmer.

Wisconsin—Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; rising temperature; winds shifting to southerly and increasing Monday night.

### TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO.

(Last 24 hours.)

Maximum, 2 p. m., 23	Minimum, 2 a. m., Monday, 15
3 a. m., 21	11 a. m., 20
6 a. m., 20	9 a. m., 20
12 m., 18	3 p. m., 22
6 p. m., 17	9 p. m., 23
12 m., 17	3 p. m., 23
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Mean temperature, 23; normal for the day, 50. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 137.

Record for 24 hours: 7 p. m., 48. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 234 inches.

Wind, N.E.; maximum velocity, 27 miles an hour at 7:00 a. m.

For complete weather report see page 12.

### YESTERDAY ELSEWHERE.

Temp.	Wind	Clouds
New York 24-28	SE 23	Snow
Boston 20-24	SE 23	Snow
Washington 24-28	SE 23	Snow
St. Louis 24-28	SE 23	Snow
St. Paul 24-28	SE 23	Snow
San Francisco 52-58	SE 23	Clear

### SHIPPERS' ADVICES.

Special Forecast for Shippers Within Radius of 500 Miles.  
Protect shipments to reach destination by tomorrow night for temperatures as follows:  
North and northwest, zero to 15 above; west, 10 to 20 above; south and east, 15 to 20 above.

## DEMANDS RULE OF OPEN DEBATE BE CURTAILED

### Old Statute Stands in Way of Arming Ships, Leaving Him Helpless.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.  
Washington, D. C., March 4.—[Special.]—Officially exclaiming as dangerous foes of the nation's welfare, the filibustering senators who killed the armed neutrality bill in the expiring congress tonight, President Wilson disclosed tonight that he is uncertain what course to pursue in regard to the protection of American rights on the high seas. He has made up his mind on one thing, however, and that is to lead a fight to end filibusters in the senate.

Balked by the senate in his effort to obtain a grant of authority, which he pronounced desirable but superfluous, the president announced tonight that he had abandoned, temporarily at least, the project of arming American ships to repel German submarines.

ATTEMPT MAY BE ILLEGAL.  
He confessed that such attempt would be illegal under the statute of 1819, which by implication prohibits American merchantmen from defending themselves from attack by the warships or other public vessels of a power with which the United States is at peace.

A couple of hours later the White House issued a qualification of this announcement, demonstrating that the president has no clear idea whether he is or is not debarred from arming American ships by this old statute.

WILL DEMAND CLOSURE RULE.  
The president also indicated that while he is still opposed to calling an extra session of congress immediately, he will attempt to induce the special session of the senate, which assembles tomorrow, to adopt a closure rule.

If he succeeds, with the aid of public opinion, upon which he relies, in establishing closure in the senate, the president then will summon the new congress to Washington and endeavor to obtain the grant of full power.

In the opinion of many administration officials, however, the president will be compelled to call an extra session of congress to repair failure to provide for the national defense before he succeeds in fastening closure of debate upon the senate.

STATEMENT IS VITIOLIC.  
These disclosures were contained in an official statement issued by President Wilson tonight. Leaving the capitol angered by the failure of his legislation, the president spent the afternoon composing the announcement giving his opinion of Senator La Follette and his colleagues who opposed the armed ship bill.

Although the president informed congress that he believed he possessed all the authority necessary to protect the rights of Americans on the high seas, he now holds that the legislative branch of the government has made it impossible to defend the nation's interests and honor.

TELLS OF BIG HANDICAP.  
The first announcement that the president would not arm American ships because of the discovery of the old prohibition was contained in a sort of addendum to his formal statement. As eventually qualified, this addendum follows:

"At the same time the president authorized the further statement that what made the situation even more grave than it had been supposed that it was, was the discovery that, while the president, under his general constitutional powers, could do much of what he has asked congress to empower him to do, it had been found that there were certain old statutes, as yet un repealed, which may raise insuperable practical obstacles and may nullify his power."

OLD LAW'S PROVISIONS.  
The old law referred to by the president was adopted by congress in 1819 and referred to the resistance of American merchantmen against the attacks of privateers and pirates, but excluded from vessels which might be so attacked any public vessel of a nation in amity with the United States.

Technically, Germany is not at war with the United States, and submarines are "public armed vessels" of Germany. The president's statement followed a conference at the White House between Mr. Wilson, Secretary McAdoo, Postmaster General Burleson, Col. E. M. House, Vance C. McCormick, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and Secretary Tumulty.

## LATE NEWS BULLETINS

LONDON, March 5, 3:38 a. m.—A Swiss dispatch quotes the Balkan Press agency as saying that Bulgaria will present a note to the United States next week supporting Germany in her unrestricted submarine campaign and declaring that American hostility toward Germany must be considered to be directed also against Bulgaria.

COPENHAGEN, March 4.—American Minister Vopicka and staff from Bucharest have arrived at Christiania, and are forced to stop there temporarily.

AMSTERDAM, via London, March 5, 4:35 a. m.—Count von Reventlow, commenting in the Berlin Tages Zeitung on the Zimmermann note, says that those who place hope for peace in the conflict of opinions in the United States will regret the administration's Mexican policy. The writer describes Herr Zimmermann's action as applying a fuse to a powder barrel.

LONDON, March 4.—Subscriptions to the sixth German war loan will be received March 15 and continued to April 16, according to a Berlin telegram transmitted by Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent. The period for the payment of installments extends to the middle of July.

Greek steamer Proconneses, 3,307 tons, from Saloniki to Algiers.

RECORD FOR THE WAR.  
The reported sinking of a vessel of 34,494 tons constitutes a record for the war, the largest vessel previously sunk being the Cunarder Lusitania of 30,395 tons.

The vessel that seems most nearly to answer the Berlin description is the Statendam, which was building in England for the Holland-America line when the war started and was taken over by the British government. Its tonnage is approximately 35,000.

Of the steamers specifically named in the German list the Oceania was on Feb. 21 reported sunk, the Corvo on Feb. 22, the Skogland on Feb. 21, and the Proconneses on March 2. The Italian steamer Prudentia was not previously reported.

BRITISH WARSHIP SUNK.  
LONDON, March 4.—A British destroyer was sunk with all hands in the North sea on Thursday, the admiral announced today. It is believed it struck a mine, the announcement states.

## WILSON ATTACKS FILIBUSTER

### President Calls for Change in Rules Which Would Prevent Few from Balking Desires of Majority of Members and of People.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—President Wilson issued a statement tonight declaring that, through the action of a few senators, it has proved impossible to pass legislation meeting the present critical international situation and other bills of vast importance to the nation. He said he believed that in the special session of the senate, already called for tomorrow, the rules should be amended so that action could be taken. The statement follows:

The termination of the last session of the Sixty-fourth congress by constitutional limitation discloses a situation unparalleled in the history of the country, perhaps unparalleled in the history of any modern government.

In the immediate presence of a crisis, fraught with more subtle and far-reaching possibilities of national danger than any other the government has known within the whole history of its international relations, the congress has been unable to act either to safeguard the country or to vindicate the elementary rights of its citizens.

Upsets the Desires of Great Majority.  
More than five hundred of the 531 members of the two houses were ready and anxious to act; the house of representatives had acted, by an overwhelming majority; but the senate was unable to act because a little group of eleven senators had determined that it should not.

The senate has no rules by which debate can be limited or brought to an end, no rules by which dilatory tactics of any kind can be prevented. A single member can stand in the way of action if he have but the physical endurance. The result in this case is a complete paralysis alike of the legislative and of the executive branches of the government.

This inability of the senate to act has made some of the most necessary legislation of the session impossible, at a time when the need for it was most pressing and most evident. The bill which would have permitted such combinations of capital and of organization in the export and import trade of the country as the circumstances of international competition have made imperative—a bill which the business judgment of the whole country approved and demanded—has failed. The opposition of one or two senators has made it impossible to increase the membership of the interstate commerce commission or to give it the altered organization necessary for its efficiency.

Locks Up Many Supplies of Natural Resources.  
The conservation bill, which should have released for immediate use the mineral resources which are still locked up in the public lands, now that their release is more imperatively necessary than ever, and the bill which would have made the unused water power of the country immediately available for industry have both failed, although they have been under consideration throughout the sessions of two congresses and have been twice passed by the house of representatives.

The appropriations for the army have failed, along with the appropriations for the civil establishment of the government, the appropriation for the military academy at West Point, and the general deficiency bill.

It has proved impossible to extend the powers of the shipping board to meet the special needs of the new situation into which our commerce has been forced, or to increase the gold reserve of our national banking system to meet the unusual circumstances of the existing financial situation.

Could Not Cure Evil by Extraordinary Session.  
It would not cure the difficulty to call the Sixty-fifth congress in extraordinary session. The paralysis of the senate would remain. The purpose and the spirit of action are not lacking now. The congress is more definitely united in thought and purpose at this moment, I venture to say, than it has been within the memory of any man now in its membership.

There is not only the most united patriotic purpose, but the objects members have in view are perfectly clear and definite.

But the senate cannot act unless its leaders can obtain unanimous consent. Its majority is powerless, helpless. In the midst of a crisis of extraordinary peril, when only definite and decided action can make the nation safe or shield it from war itself by the aggression of others, action is impossible.

Effect of the Action on Foreign Relations.  
Although, as a matter of fact, the nation and the representatives of the nation stand back of the executive with unprecedented unanimity and spirit, the impression abroad will, of course, be that it is not so and that other governments may act as they please without fear that this government can do anything at all.

We cannot explain. The explanation is incredible. The senate of the United States is the only executive body in the world which cannot act when its majority is ready for action. A little group of willful men, representing no opinion but their own, have made the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible.

The remedy! There is but one remedy. The only remedy is that the rule of the senate shall be so altered that it can act. The country can be relied upon to draw the moral. I believe that the senate can be relied on to supply the means of action and save the country from disaster.

## ARMED SHIPS BILL IS KILLED BY FILIBUSTER

### Senate Balks La Follette, Then Dies Unable to Aid President.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)  
Washington, D. C., March 4.—[Special.]—A riotous twenty-six hour battle in the expiring session of the senate over the administration's armed ship measure ended today in the death of the bill and left a trail of outraged feelings in that more or less august body.

The killing of the measure was brought about by a filibuster conducted by Senator La Follette of Wisconsin and declared by Senator Hitchcock to be the "most reprehensible in the history of any nation."

SPOIL LA FOLLETTE'S FLAME.  
But in the last minutes of the battle the friends of the bill to protect Americans on the high seas scored a brilliant tactical victory over the Wisconsin senator.

They not only read a manifesto to the world, signed by seventy-six of the senators present in Washington, declaring that the bill would have passed were it not for the obstructive tactics of Senate members, but they succeeded in preventing La Follette from gaining the floor to defend himself and reply to their manifesto.

HERE ARE THE TWELVE.  
The twelve senators who refused to sign the manifesto were:

REPUBLICANS. DEMOCRATS.  
La Follette, Wis. Vandenberg, Mich.  
Gronna, N. D. Kirby, Ark.  
Cummins, Ia. Lane, Ore.  
Kenyon, Ia. Stone, Mo.  
Works, Cal. O'Gorman, N. Y.  
Norris, Neb.  
Clapp, Minn.—7.

FEBRUARY EXPLAINS STAND.  
Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania declined to sign the declaration, but announced he would have voted for the bill had opportunity been afforded him.

Of the seven other senators not recorded, three, Gallinger and Goff, Republicans, and Gore, Democrat, were absent on account of sickness. Senators Lippitt, Republican, and Johnson of Maine, and Smith of Arizona, Democrats, were absent from the city. Senator Culberson, Democrat, did not reach the senate in time to be recorded.

HOUSE FOES OF WILSON.  
Associated with the senators in opposition to the armed neutrality bill were the following representatives, who voted against the house bill Thursday night:

REPUBLICANS.  
Bergdick, Cal. Lindbergh, Minn.  
Cary, Wis. Nelson, Wis.  
Cooper, Wis. Stafford, Wis.  
Davis, Minn. Wilson, Ill.

DEMOCRATS.  
Shackelford, Mo. Sherwood, O.  
Decker, Mo.

SOCIALIST.  
London, N. Y.

LA FOLLETTE RAVES.  
Senator La Follette was so incensed over the strategy to keep him from making a speech in defense of his conduct that from 8 o'clock until noon he raved about the senate chamber, constantly interrupting senators who were speaking, violating numerous rules of the body, and threatening personal violence unless he was permitted to be heard.

On one occasion he pained the lie to Senator Smith of Georgia and on another rushed angrily at Senator Robinson of Arkansas as if he would strike him down. Again he challenged the senate to elect him if it dared.

The senate was kept in constant uproar. Just before the end Senator La Follette sought an opportunity to make a brief speech. This was denied him and Senator Hitchcock was awarded the floor to finish the debate.

"UNREPRESENTABLE."  
"Twelve men," Senator Hitchcock said, "have defied the will of seventy-five of perhaps eighty senators by resorting to one of the most reprehensible filibusters ever recorded in the history of any country. I use strong language. Perhaps I ought to apologize." "The senator is safe," La Follette shouted angrily, "for he knows I won't have time to answer him."

"But I say to the senator from Wisconsin,"

## THE GERMAN CRISIS

President issues statement denouncing men who filibuster against armed ship bill, asserting it will be misunderstood abroad as showing United States is not united in demanding protection for commerce at sea. Calls on senate for reform of rules making repetition of action impossible.

President decides he may not have the power to permit arming of ships unless action is endorsed by congress.

## SUMMARY OF THE WAR

British advance 1,200 yards on two mile front east of Gommecourt and capture German positions east of Bouchevaines.

Russian forces which captured Hamadan in Persia pursue Turks eighty miles to northwest.

Austrian attacks east of Gorizia beaten off by Italians with heavy losses.

The official statements from the various capitals will be found on page 4.



...pursued Senator Hitchcock, "That I cherish no ill feeling, that—"

The gavel fell and the sixty-fourth congress had expired by constitutional limitation.

**BLOCK EFFORTS TO VOTE.**  
From 8 a. m. to the adjournment at noon, the fight over the passage of the measure was intensely dramatic.

Senator La Follette and his benchmen sat on the floor of the senate through the night and until the early morning hours, successfully blocking every effort to reach a vote or agree to an hour for voting.

Finally, the administration hit upon the manifesto plan to demonstrate to the world that the senate was in favor of the bill. Seventy-eight senators signed the manifesto and Senator Robinson of Arkansas was designated to read it.

Just before the reading Senator Williams of Mississippi held the respect to the twelve opponents and the senate itself as follows:

"One of the most humiliating spectacles in American history will be presented if congress adjourns and this bill shall have been defeated by the United States senate."

"The effect on the minds of the military autocratic classes in Germany will be about that of the spectacle of the senate and a smile, 'they have done just what we thought the money grubbing, money hunting scoundrels would do.'"

**Reads Manifesto to Nation.**  
Following Senator Williams, Senator Robinson of Arkansas, with dramatic emphasis, read the statement that the will of the majority was being denied by the will of the minority.

After the reading of the manifesto, Mr. La Follette turned the floor over to his followers and went to his office for a rest.

It was while he was away that the sponsors of the measure, seeing certain defeat, hit upon the plan to prevent him from gaining the floor to glorify in killing the measure himself.

**Rebuttal for La Follette.**  
Shortly before 8 o'clock La Follette, wholly refreshed, bounded into the chamber.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma was making a speech in favor of the bill. Suddenly, without warning, he yielded the floor to Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska.

La Follette in turn was on his feet shouting for recognition. The presiding officer, Senator Sutherland of Delaware, recognized Senator Hitchcock. Thereupon Senator La Follette declared there was a conspiracy to deprive him of the floor.

Senator Hitchcock complained that he was out of order and disturbing the proceedings of the senate. Senator La Follette demanded parliamentary inquiry. Senator Robinson made the point of order that he was not stating the parliamentary inquiry.

"I am stating a parliamentary inquiry," La Follette retorted, "and I will continue upon the floor until I finish the statement unless some one carries me off, and I should like to see any man do it."

Senator Robinson insisted upon his point of order, and Senator Sutherland sustained him, whereupon La Follette appealed from the ruling of the chair. The senate sustained the ruling by a vote of 32 to 15, and Senator Hitchcock continued speaking.

**Life Is Passed on Floor.**  
Two hours later La Follette arose again, this time to plead with Senator Hitchcock for a chance to be heard. He insisted he was being denied his constitutional right to state his views on a most important question. His plea aroused the supporters of the bill.

As he insisted he wanted to be heard, Senator Smith of Georgia remarked sotto voce: "That's all; he does not want to be heard."

"Turning on Smith," he said, "blazing and his arms waving, La Follette shouted: 'Does the senator from Georgia say that's not true?'"

"Yes," Senator Smith snapped. "Then the senator from Georgia says what is not true," La Follette retorted. A hubbub followed, during which Senator Robinson demanded that the exchange of personalities be taken down.

A half minute later the session came to an end.

Senator La Follette left the chamber immediately and went to his office. Asked if he had any statement to make, he only said:

"No, but I have great speech undelivered which I propose to deliver throughout the country."

## Singing, Wild Cheers and Patriotic Outbreaks Mark Closing Hours of the House Session

(BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—The house of representatives of the sixty-fourth congress came to its end amidst singing and cheering in a wild burst of patriotic fervor.

Just before the hands of the clock closed on the hour of noon Representative "Alfalfa" Bill Murray of Oklahoma, in his last congressional breath, nominated Champ Clark for president.

He reminded the house of the fact he had been a Wilson man at Baltimore, but bygone were bygone.

"For ten minutes," Uncle Joe "Cannon" was speaker pro tem of the house. It seemed like old times when 80 year old "Uncle Joe," standing as straight as a youth of 18, grasped the gavel in his left hand, looked from right to left at every member arose and applauded, banged the desk, and recognized "the gentleman from Illinois," Mr. Mann.

**Heard Play on House.**  
A hoax played on members of the house and the galleries overshadowed the singing, cheering, and speech making.

All centered about interest in Miss Jeanette Rankin of Montana, the first woman ever elected to the United States congress, who will take her seat in the next house. She was expected to be here today, but did not arrive, and Mrs. George W. Edmonds, the wife of Representative Edmonds of Pennsylvania,

received the thunderous welcome that awaited her. So well did Mrs. Edmonds play her role that hundreds of persons who shook heads with her, in as imprudent recognition which she held forth in the middle of the floor attracted little attention until Mrs. Edmonds finally slipped away.

**Uncle Joe on Old Times.**  
Speaking from the rostrum, "Uncle Joe" Cannon recalled some of the stirring house scenes of the past.

"There have been contests and wild scenes here in my time," he said. "Some times I have had a feeling, some times of resentment and then of disapproval, but as the sun comes up and the sun goes down and the months go by and the years lapse, I have recognized that under the government of the people there must be organization by parties."

"Uncle Joe" made a graceful reference to Asher Hinds, the retiring Maine member who was parliamentarian under Cannon. He said that a hundred years from now no one would remember who had been speaker this year or the year before or in the Cannon regime, "but Hinds' precedents live on forever."

**Fervor in the Farewell.**  
Old attacks of the house said the justification today outdrew in fervor any they had ever witnessed in many years. It lasted more than an hour.

As Speaker, Clark's eye dropped promptly at noon, members of the floor and the press gallery, who previously had been supplied with books of old fashioned songs, burst into "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." When Mrs. J. Charles Linthicum, wife of Representative Linthicum of Maryland, and Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker,

wayed a flag from the gallery a storm of applause followed.

In another part of the gallery Miss Leona Sherwood, a daughter of Representative Sherwood, sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Mrs. David H. Kinchloe, wife of Representative Kinchloe of Kentucky, whistled "Dixie" with help from the crowd. "How Dry I Am," sung with particular feeling by "wets" who were so overwhelmingly defeated in the last congress, followed.

The arrival of a body of New York national guardsmen in uniform on the floor created a patriotic outburst.

**Puts Blame on Senate.**  
In the farewell speeches preceding the final adjournment, Democratic Leader Kitchin and others declared that the house had done its work this session and blamed the senate for any embarrassment which the government may suffer through its inaction.

"The house, Democrats and Republicans alike," said Mr. Kitchin, "has met every responsibility and performed every duty imposed upon it by the constitution and by the country. If the president should find this country in the midst of a sudden emergency and should look about him for authority and means to protect the rights of the citizen, he would find them in the laws and in the constitution, and not in the senate."

**Pledge Against Cloture.**  
The pledge is in the following form: "We, the undersigned, hereby mutually covenant and agree to cooperate with each other in compelling such changes in the rules of the senate as to terminate successful filibustering and enable the majority to fix an hour for disposing of any bill or question subject to the rule of one hour to each senator for discussion before or after the hour is fixed. This agreement to be in effect March 5, 1917."

**Senator Owen Delighted.**  
"I am delighted with the president's statement in regard to the cloture in the senate," Senator Owen said when asked by a correspondent tonight for comment as to the prospect of changing the rules in accordance with President Wilson's suggestion. "Six years ago I called the attention of the country to the importance of correcting the rules of the senate and putting an end to the rule of the minority in that body."

**NINE DROWNED GOING TO AID OF STRANDED SHIP**  
Norfolk, Va., March 4.—[Special.]—Nine men were reported to have been drowned tonight when a lifeboat in which they were going to the rescue of the tanker, Louisiana, anchored off Ocean City, Md., capsized. Calls for aid from the tanker had been picked up by the Newport, R. I., radio station, but they soon became too faint to be distinguished.

**Three Boats Reported Lost.**  
Philadelphia, Pa., March 5, 2 a. m.—Wireless reports received here early today said that three lifeboats of the coast guard cutter Yamacraw, sent to rescue the crew of the Louisiana, stranded off Ocean City, Md., had either been lost or were adrift. One of the boats, the report added, was known to have capsized in the heavy seas.

**COBAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.**  
Arrived: JANADA MARU. Left: Seattle.

**PICK 100 TO AID DEFENSE SYSTEM**  
New York, March 4.—A committee of 100 citizens, representing manufacturing, financial, agricultural, labor, and other interests, was appointed here today by the National Civic Federation to cooperate with the national council of defense in mobilizing the industrial forces of the country.

**GERMANS DEPORT MORE BELGIANS**  
HAYRE, March 4.—The German governor general of Belgium, according to a declaration by the Belgian government here, has by a decree issued Feb. 17 menaced certain Belgian industries with complete cessation, thus increasing considerably the number of deported Belgian nationals.

**LOW AVERAGE**  
Only Two Measures of Administration Program Put Through Tangle at End of Congress Session.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—Of all the legislation on the administration program proper only two measures, the revenue bill and the measure giving civil government to Porto Rico and American citizenship to its inhabitants, got through the legislative tangle at the close of the session.

Among the administration bills which failed were the measures to supplement the Adamson law, the bill to enlarge the interstate commerce commission, the Webb bill to legalize joint foreign selling agencies, and conservation legislation, including the general dam bill and water power bill.

Bills which do not form part of the original program but which were pressed successfully by cabinet officers and administration leaders late in the session included amendments to the shipping act to give the president power to commandeer ships; a drastic espionage bill, which passed the senate but never was taken up in the house; and amendments to the federal reserve act to increase reserve bank gold holdings and decrease member bank reserves.

Congress provided for the payment of \$25,000,000 for the Danish-West Indies, but the senate failed to ratify, despite an urgent request by the president, the treaty to pay Colombia \$15,000,000 for the separation of Panama.

Although the senate finally stopped the passage of appropriation bills carrying in all about \$311,000,000, congress managed to get through in its three months' session ten other supply measures with a total of nearly \$1,500,000,000. Appropriation measures that failed included the army appropriation bill carrying \$270,000,000; the sundry civil appropriation bill, carrying \$180,000,000; the general deficiency, \$22,000,000; the rivers and harbor, \$30,000,000; and the military academy, \$1,380,000.

Among the measures to which the president attached his signature were the naval and agricultural appropriation bills, a resolution providing for a \$100,000,000 bond issue to speed up warship construction, a resolution postponing until July 1 the effectiveness of the prohibition feature of the postoffice bill, a resolution appropriating \$2,000,000 to continue work on the Alaskan railroad, and more than a score of minor resolutions and bills.

**NAVY WILL RUSH SHIPS; TO SEIZE YARDS IF NEED BE**  
Washington, D. C., March 4.—Secretary Daniels announced tonight that the navy department would employ immediately the emergency fund provided by congress for speeding up warship construction and acquiring submarines, submarine chasers, and other craft, and if necessary would use the authority granted to commandeer private plants. "The principal private shipbuilders of the country will be called into conference this week."

"Delays will not be permitted to stand in the way of carrying out the clear intent of congress," says a statement by the secretary. "I will be quick to recommend taking over any plants if it is essential to do so."

As finally passed the naval appropriation bill, carrying \$113,288,447, which makes a total of \$1,134,888,986 provided for the navy in the last four years.

**CHICAGO YOUTH REACHES FRANCE DESPITE "SUBS"**  
John Barton Foley of 1406 Astor street was elated over a cablegram he received last night from his son, Garrett R. Foley. The message read:

"Safe at Bordenaux."

"Garrett went to France in the Harvard contingent for the American Ambulance Corps," said Mr. Foley. "He sailed from New York on the steamship Chicago of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique."

**GET WORD IN NEW YORK.**  
New York, March 4.—[Special.]—That the steamship Chicago of the French line, which left here on Feb. 19, escaped the German submarines became known today when the Rev. L. C. Rice of 205 West Sixty-fourth street received a cablegram from his son, Dominic Rich, announcing his safe arrival in Bordenaux.

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It is more important now than ever before to know what you are getting when you buy shoes. Martin & Martin shoes represent, always and invariably, the highest grades of leather and the best hand-work that can be put into shoes. They are really "custom" shoes, made in quantities and ready-to-wear.

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Every style you'll see this spring is included among the light-weight overcoats we carried from last season. These garments must not be mixed with new merchandise, and we have reduced the price to force them out.

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**Styles They'll Wear This Spring**  
Our speed in assembling the new spring suits enables you to be first among your friends with the latest style ideas. You'll surely enthuse over the new belt-back effects, the smart double-breasteds, and the originality displayed in the many color effects. Suits for young men, \$15 to \$40.—Third Floor.

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1-2 Carats, \$215  
1-3 Carats, 185  
1-4 Carats, 165  
1-16 Carats, 135  
1-7 Carats, 225  
1 Carat, 125  
7-8 of a Carat, 92  
5-8 of a Carat, 68  
3-4 of a Carat, 79  
3-8 of a Carat, 35  
1-4 of a Carat, 18

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The charming serge dress shown in the illustration is especially popular for early spring wear. Made in all the popular serge colors, handsomely braided. Ideal for wearing under a long coat—and without the coat later in the season.

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## CHICAGO LEADERS DIVIDE IN VIEWS ON FILIBUSTER

Majority, However, Decry  
Move with the Nation  
Facing Perils.

"The most disgraceful act in our national history." This was the characterization passed by President Harry Pratt Judson yesterday upon the defeat of the armed neutrality bill in the senate by filibusters when the nation is on the verge of war.

The filibuster was denounced by other Chicagoans distinguished in varied walks in life. Opinion, however, was not unanimous. Seymour Steadman, Socialist lawyer, upheld the righteousness of the filibuster on the grounds that no powers should be conferred "on any man, on God's green footstool" which might lead the country into war. Attorney Edmund Zoller said that as long as the rules of the senate did not forbid such methods he saw no reason why senators should not do all in their power to defeat the measure if they acted from the dictates of conscience. That the great majority of citizens of Chicago viewed the filibuster in the light of a national disgrace was evident from the expressions of condemnation voiced by several hundred persons who called on Tuesday on the telephone during the day to learn the fate of the measure.

### Some of the Opinions.

Here are the expressions of opinion: President Harry Pratt Judson, University of Chicago—The filibuster was the most disgraceful act in our national history. With the nation on the threshold of war, no such thing should have been possible. The one redeeming feature is that President Wilson is firmly convinced he has the power to arm merchant ships and protect the lives and rights of property of American citizens on the high seas. There is no doubt in my mind that he has this power, with or without the consent of congress. I am confident he will exercise it. Seymour Steadman—I am thoroughly sympathetic with the handful of senators who succeeded in defeating the bill. The question of war should be left to the incoming congress. No war or power which it seems likely will lead to war should be left during a recess of congress in the hands of any one man. Thomas F. Holgate, dean of liberal arts Northwestern university—It is too bad that the senate's rules should permit for any step to encompass the defeat of an necessary measure at this perilous moment. There seems nothing left for the president to do but go ahead and protect the lives and property of American citizens on the sea. I believe that in time he will do. He surely has the power under the constitution. Dr. H. G. Hirsch—I have made up my mind to have no opinion. It is the only thing nowadays to do your thinking privately. Arthur C. Luciw, vice president of the German Club of Chicago—I think it is a good idea for congress to insist on extra session. President Wilson

## IN HIGH SCHOOL OPERA Former Students of Lake View Will Appear in "The Mikado," Which Will Dedicate New Auditorium.



Miss Harriet Barnard  
Lake View High School

Miss Margaret Weiland  
Miss Ruth Gilmore

The girls are staring into mirrors with eyebrows raised to perfect the gentle art of looking oriental. The boys are surreptitiously practicing how to wave a fan in the most approved Gil-Sully style. And the entire student body of the

## T. R. REFUSES BRYAN DEBATE

New York, March 4.—[Special.]—Col. Roosevelt refused to debate national preparedness with Col. Bryan in a letter which he sent to A. Lyle De Jarnett, executive secretary of the Congress of Forums. "I cannot accept your proposal of the 21st," Col. Roosevelt wrote, "because I regard it as a waste of time to debate nondebatable subjects. To debate with Mr. Bryan his views against national preparedness would, in my judgment, be precisely on a par with debating the undesirability of monogamous marriage."

## CHINA CABINET TRIES TO BREAK WITH GERMANY

President Balks Plan and  
Premier Resigns, Leaving  
Capital.

PEKING, March 4.—The cabinet today decided that China should join the United States in breaking off relations with Germany. This decision was submitted to the president, who refused to approve the cabinet's action, saying such power rested entirely with him. Premier Tuan Chi-Jui immediately resigned and left for Tien-Tsin, accompanied by several other members of the cabinet. The resignation of the entire cabinet is expected.

Parliament is virtually unanimous in favor of the opinion of the cabinet. The leaders of all the political parties are adversely criticizing the president's position. The vice president of the republic supports the action of the cabinet.

Held Personal Affairs. An official statement issued from the president's office says that the break with Germany and the premier was due to personal differences rather than to the foreign policy. President Li Yuan-Hung has sent representatives to Tien-Tsin, to induce the premier to return to Peking.

According to the president's office, the immediate cause of the break was a dispatch sent to the Chinese minister at Tokio committing China to a rupture of relations with Germany and a union with the entente powers under certain conditions. The president refused his approval because, he declared, parliament must sanction all measures contemplating war, as well as a direct declaration of war.

## MANY OFFICES LEFT VACANT

Washington, D. C., March 4.—More than fourteen hundred nominations, sent to the senate during the session by President Wilson, failed of confirmation with adjournment today. All of them probably will be returned when the senate meets in extra session on Tuesday.

## THE WAR A YEAR AGO March 5, 1916.

Twelve persons killed in a raid by German Zeppelins over east coast of England. German admiralty announced torpedoing of two armed French merchant vessels. French regained part of Douaumont in Verdun struggle. Report from Athens said Ezer Pasha had been wounded by assassin in Constantinople.

## TWO YEARS AGO March 5, 1915.

Fort Kild, Bahr, and Chanak in Dardanelles shelled. Forts at Bulair on European side of sea of Marmara destroyed by shells from French warships.

## GERARD'S PARTY FEELS SAFE FROM U-BOAT PERILS

BY CARL ACKERMAN.  
(Copyright, 1917, New York Tribune Assn.)  
ABOARD U. S. INFANTA ISABEL, March 3, via Wireless to Cape Race, N. F., March 4.—The ship bearing former Ambassador James W. Gerard and his party is plowing through a rough sea in the face of a heavy wind at a speed of fifteen knots. Everywhere on board there is a feeling that the greatest dangers have been passed. It is a feeling of relief, for the constant submarine menace, heightened by the fear of a repetition of the Laconia sinking, had aroused officials aboard to such a pitch that they nearly wirelessed President Wilson for an escort.

Off the Spanish coast there was added to the submarine threat ceaseless fear of mines. Except for one suspiciously acting ship, which followed the Infanta Isabel for some distance, turned away, and then pursued a zigzagging course toward sea, the voyage has been uneventful.

There are suspects aboard who are constantly under observation by the secret service men. They have only succeeded in eavesdropping on a few of Mr. Gerard's conversations. The ship has been searched several times for a German named Rode who sought financial aid from the former ambassador before the latter left Berlin. This man is known to have appeared at Madrid before the Infanta Isabel sailed and to have questioned Mr. Gerard's valet about the envoy's movements and plans. Mr. Gerard believes he was landed in Spain by a submarine.

## Taft to Speak in Chicago March 29 on Preparedness

Former President Taft will speak in Chicago March 29 in favor of national preparedness. Mr. Taft favors compulsory military training.

## FAKED WIRELESS SENT LUSITANIA TO SEA AMBUSH

German Agents in This  
Country Sent Out False  
Order, Writer Says.

New York, March 4.—[Special.]—It was a decoy wireless message written right here in New York City by German secret agents and dispatched from the radio station at Sayville, L. I., by one of their trusted operators, which caused the destruction of the Lusitania on May 7, 1915, according to a detailed declaration made by John Price Jones in a volume entitled "Armaria, Entangled."

He gives a detailed story of just what happened to the Lusitania, causing the death of 1,215. Mr. Jones is a reporter on the New York Sun, who has enjoyed the confidence of the secret agents of both the United States and Great Britain.

## Decide on Ambush Plan.

The Germans then realized that the Lusitania's speed would enable it to shake off or dodge any submarine, and so they decided upon the plan of forcing it to go to a certain point. After the ship had left this port the submarines took their position. By wireless to Sayville, Berlin informed the German plotters here just what the position was. They prepared the bogus orders, purporting to come from the British admiralty.

## U. S. GUARANTEES FAIR ELECTIONS TO CUBAN REBELS

SANTO AGO, Cuba, March 4.—Commander Reginald R. Belknap, signed an agreement today with the leaders of the revolutionary movement guaranteeing, first, fair elections in Santa Clara and Oriente provinces, and second, recognition of Maximo Ruben, Fernandez, commander in chief of the revolutionary army in Oriente province.

## A Pleasant Surprise

WHILE on account of war conditions most importers of Oriental Rugs are complaining of scarcity of rugs, as a pleasant surprise to the Art Loving Public we are glad to announce that we have just received the finest collection of Persian-Sarak Rugs that has ever been shown in Chicago.

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## This Incident Really Happened

ONE of our salesmen was trying to persuade an office manager to put in a complete equipment of Berry Window Ventilators instead of the single ventilator he had ordered for his private office. While they were talking an assistant informed him of the death of one of his employees from grippe, after an illness of three days. He added that two other employees had failed to report for work because of the same disease.

Every window in that office is now being equipped with Berry Window Ventilators, and it will be a mere matter of time after this week than it ever was before.

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**ASTARR BEST**  
Madison and Wabash Chicago

**Girls' Covert Coat**  
Size 10 to 16  
Made of fine quality covert cloth, silk lined throughout; has patch pockets and horn buttons; \$22.50.

**Girls' Silk Coat**  
Ages 6 to 12  
Made of moire silk in green and navy, silk lined; has hand embroidered collar; \$15.

**Girls' Coat**  
Ages 1 to 5  
Made of fine quality blue poplin; full pleated skirt; yoke is silk lined; has extra white silk collar; \$12.75.

Announcing the SPRING & SUMMER MODES of **Foster Shoes** for Women and Children

**Maison de Mode**  
602 Michigan Ave., So.

Announce the opening of their New Shop

Our complete display of smart wearing apparel exemplifies all that is new in Fashion.

Clothes for every possible occasion

Suits Wraps Frocks  
Coats Gowns Blouses  
Sports Clothes







## PLOT AGAINST U. S. JUSTIFIED, GERMANS' VIEW

Plot to Mexico Likened to Wilson's Appeal to the Neutrals.

BY CYRIL BROWN.  
(Copyright, 1917, By Press Publishing Company (New York World).)

BERLIN, March 3, via Amsterdam and London, March 4.—Berlin woke up this morning to read one of the most sensational news stories of the war, and never moved a muscle—an astounding revelation of almost fatalistic stolidity and unvarying calmness verging close on indifference.

The news was an official statement regarding Germany's offer of an alliance with Mexico in case America declared war on Germany, together with dispatches from Holland regarding the disclosure in America.

Give Plot Second Place. Practically all the morning papers featured the change in the chief of the Austrian general staff as the big story of the day, running the negotiations with Mexico in second place. Most morning papers, moreover, did not find the story important enough to warrant any original editorial comment. No worth-while opinion or comment was obtainable up to noon. Then the Berlin Gazette (a new paper), said:

"The betrayal of Germany's offer of an alliance with Mexico has been made capital of by Wilson and his supporters in order to induce congress to vote his bill powers."

"Wilson's influence and that of all his supporters had not sufficed to make it sure congress would confer the desired powers on him. Therefore, the material for 'sensational disclosures' regarding the negotiations between Germany and Mexico was placed at the disposal of the Associated Press and thus the tension produced was as tremendous as that of an election."

German Indignant at Betrayal. The only significant feature about the comment on Germany's negotiations with Mexico is the inspired note of righteous indignation over the "betrayal" or "treachery," which alone, in the German mind, could have made it possible for the text of Zimmermann's letter to become known to the president.

The Germans see in the publication of the letter at this time only another shabby American trick, another act of selfishness on America's part, and authentic proof that President Wilson was a traitor and has long been preparing for it.

While they are indulging their indignation, the German view is that the proposed alliance with Mexico needs absolutely no apology, explanation or justification to anybody—Germany acting absolutely within her rights, and the proposed alliance being merely a defensive measure dictated by ordinary military German common sense.

"In view of the fact that Germany has not denied the published version in general," this evening's Berlin Tageblatt says, "it might be correct in so far as it purports to rectify facts. It is certainly to be pointed out that Mr. Wilson for his part, urgently called on

## PEACE

Miss Napieralski Was a Passenger on the Henry Ford Pacific Expedition Where She Met Mr. Curran.



Miss Napieralski  
Passenger on the Henry Ford Pacific Expedition

When the Oscar II. argued forth on what its vicious skipper termed a "mission of love," Matthew Curran, a real estate dealer of Detroit, met Miss Emily Napieralski of Chicago.

The marriage will take place on April 21, but Miss Napieralski stoutly maintains that the significance of the month and the origin of her romance are purely coincidental.

Miss Napieralski, known as "the Jane Addams of the Poles," is secretary of the Polish Women's alliance, an ardent Red Cross worker, and a local lecturer of note.

the neutral states to join him in action against Germany, and likewise to break off diplomatic relations with Germany. Mr. Wilson, in other words, sought alliance against Germany, just as Germany sought allies against America, in case of war."

The Vossische Zeitung devotes two columns to the internal troubles of Cuba and Mexico as they affect America and comes to the conclusion that "in view of the deadly hate of all Mexicans against America, it can be awaited with certainty that on the outbreak of a German-American war Mexico will go against the United States."

Washington, D. C., March 4.—Speakers of more than 3,000 American wage earners have been called to meet in conference here on March 12 to determine and announce the part labor shall claim in the formulation of policies of preparedness and defense in the crisis confronting the nation.

The call, made public today, was issued by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, under authority of the federation's executive council. It went to presidents of 110 national and international unions affiliated with the federation, department presidents, and the four great railroad employees' brotherhoods.

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## WAITING AT THE GATE, 500 WOMEN SEEK PRESIDENT

Wet, Chilly, Suffragists Call on Wilson, but He's "Not at Home."

BY MARY BRUSH WILLIAMS.

Washington, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—Miss Alice Paul decided some time ago that her cohorts would pay a social call on President Wilson on the day of his official inauguration. Her ideal conception of the occasion was a visit, which, while chatty and informal, should present to the president the first measure he should consider in his second term of office, and it would be to pass a federal amendment in favor of woman's suffrage.

The mere fact that the White House in no way replied to her preliminary advances deterred her not at all. The additional fact that the elements seemed to line up with the president in discouragement of her purpose likewise failed to influence her. In one of the coldest, wettest rains of history, five hundred women strung themselves down through blocks of the street.

Stand Under Dripping Trees. They marched on the White House, completely encompassing it, as per Miss Paul's purpose, and stood under the dripping trees. Meantime, a delegation of eight, headed by Miss Anne Martin of Nevada, dropped out when they heard the executive offices and ascended the steps to the locked iron gates.

"Behind it stood two 'plain clothes' men, two servants and two officers in rainy day uniforms. The succeeding encounter is as follows: Mrs. Kent, wife of the congressman from California, said: "Will you please take our cards to the president? We are calling on him with a resolution."

The officer replied: "I am commissioned to take your resolution, but not to deliver any cards." There was a hurried consultation among the women. "But surely you can take them?" "Q. yes," said the officer holding out his hand.

Officer Still at Post. In the course of half an hour the women espy the officer at the iron pickets several feet away from them. Miss Anne Martin in a consultation was made spokeswoman to approach him. "You are waiting, are you, to get word from Mr. Tumulty about our cards?" she said.

The guard produced them from his hip pocket. "O no, I have them here. I deliver them at 6, when I leave this gate. I cannot leave before."

The women again consulted hurriedly. "We wanted them," Miss Martin said, "to send a herald out to get our resolution, passed at our meeting yesterday."

Quick as a flash the Irish guard answered, "I am here; they told me to take it."

"Then he was expecting us?" the women exclaimed. "Why did he send us no word?"

"The president receives no callers on Sunday. The office is empty and closed." From the windows of the twenty feet away, grinning masculine faces were pressed against the pane.

The women waited a long time and

## THAT NOTE

Suffragists Dispatch Letter and Resolutions to President After Vainly Waiting in Rain to Plead Cause with Mr. Wilson.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—Five hundred suffragists braved a downpour today to call on the president and plead their cause, but failed to gain entrance to the grounds. After long waiting they inclosed the following note with resolutions to Mr. Wilson: "To the President of the United States:

"The White House, Washington, D. C. "Dear Mr. President: Since we were unable to present our resolutions to you this afternoon, I have the honor to inclose them with this note. Acknowledgment may be made to Miss Anne Martin, chairman of our delegation, at the above address. Our committee is composed of the following women: Miss Anne Martin of Nevada, Mrs. William Kent of California, Mrs. Mary Darrow Walcott of North Dakota, Miss Mary Patterson of Ohio, Miss Eleanor Barker of Indiana, Mrs. J. A. H. Hopkins of New Jersey, Mrs. Welch of New York, and myself. Very respectfully yours,

"FLORENCE BAYARD HILLES."

the picket fence marchers and banners were drooping. The women were cold, and they wished to know what was happening. To keep up their courage they marched round the grounds and their two bands played.

While this spectacle was at its height the president and his wife drove out of the grounds in a limousine. He did not favor the women with the same appreciative smile that they won while picketing in the days just past. Mrs. Wilson and he both looked grimly ahead of them.

The women on the steps of the executive office came to a decision. Mrs. Florence Bayard Hilles left the group and ran over to headquarters, where she wrote a note. They inclosed it with the resolution, now almost as waterlogged as the women themselves, and left it with the smiling Irish guard. Then they retired to headquarters for a cup of tea.

## "LABOR THROWS DOWN I. W. W." THANKS FOR TIP!

Delegate Writes Headline for This Story, So We Won't Disappoint Him.

Organized labor in Chicago dealt the I. W. W. and its methods a solar plexus wallop yesterday.

By a vote that was practically unanimous, the Chicago Federation of Labor refused to issue credentials to I. W. W. members who had planned to seek contributions from various labor unions for the purpose of financing the defense of seventy-three members of the organization who are to be placed on trial for murder at Everett, Wash., as the result of recent strike disturbances there.

Action on the matter was taken by the federation after an I. W. W. delegate arose in the meeting and made a "brotherly love" appeal.

John Fitzpatrick, president of the federation, thought differently about the matter. "The I. W. W. is an organization which has been built up in an endeavor to destroy the American Federation of Labor," he said. "Time and again, despite the fact that it makes its appeals in the name of unionism, it has employed tactics calculated to sow the seeds of disruption within the ranks of the national labor organization."

"A typical example of this was the Everett affair. Such behavior on the part of the I. W. W., acting as trade unionists, is a disgrace to them and to unionism. I, for one, can't see that we should give its members the credentials it asks for."

Another I. W. W. delegate arose and

began a flood of impassioned oratory. "Look at the headlines of The Tribune and the other newspapers in the morning and you will see 'Labor Throws Down the I. W. W.' and similar quotations," he said. "In this way, fellow delegates, you are playing right into the hands of the capitalistic bosses and the trust press."

"Mother" Jones Spans 'Em. The next speaker was "Mother" Jones, who came to Chicago recently to aid in the strike of women's garment workers. She administered a verbal spanking to union members for "letting capital put it over all the time," and criticized judges who issue anti-picketing injunctions.

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## YOU won't mind if we keep on saying to you that this sale marks the last great opportunity you'll have for a long time, if ever, to buy men's shoes at the prices we are now quoting.

It will soon be impossible to buy shoes in any quantities at such prices, and so we urge everyone to improve this opportunity and buy enough shoes to last for many months to come. It is a good investment; your saving will be a big return on the money you spend now; much larger than from any regular form of investment.

We will hold to these prices as long as possible, which won't be long—we see the end coming.

Sale prices: \$2.85, \$3.35, \$3.85, \$4.85, \$5.85, \$6.85, \$7.85, \$8.85

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Hundreds of useful and attractive pieces—the 20% to be deducted at time of purchase.







## SMOKE "ZONES" LIMIT PRODUCTS OF CITY GARDENS

Expert Tells How Many  
Parts of Chicago Are  
Influenced.

BY J. F. H. HEIDE.

Modern industrialism is the monster which blows its blighting breath alike over the animal and vegetable kingdoms and leaves behind it a trail of death and stunted growth. A screen of smoke laden atmosphere hangs over industrial centers and congested districts, depriving plants of the necessary sun, preventing or at least retarding development. Away from these centers that poll in gradually lifted until normal conditions are reached in outlying districts.

Thus there are conditions in Chicago and vicinity to abort the amateur gardener's best efforts, unless the plant selection is made with a view to resisting these harmful influences. Unfavorable soil conditions can be overcome by drainage, irrigation, or fertilization. Not so the smoke and fumes of the air. In this factor (except possibly the lack of sufficient cultivation) is responsible for more failures than any.

**Map Explains Possibilities.**

In the accompanying map, we have arbitrarily divided the Chicago district into three principal zones. The darkly shaded portions represent the first zone, in which only a few of the harder plants may be depended on to thrive. The lightly shaded portions constitute the second zone, favorable for all but the most delicate vegetables. The unshaded third zone is suitable for all fruits and vegetables adapted to the soil and climatic conditions of the region.

It must not be understood that there is a distinct line of demarcation within which a plant may or may not be grown successfully. There are favored spots in both the shaded zones that yield to intelligent cultivation and mature some of the vegetables recommended only for the third zone, just as there are unfavorable spots, even in the third or clear zone, incapable of being indicated on so small a map. The amateur who would insure definite results should confine his efforts to the plants recommended for the zone in which his garden plot is situated.

**What Can Be Grown.**

In the first zone the following are most dependable:

Asparagus	Parley,
Beans	Chives,
Cucumbers	Chervil,
Peas	Chives,
Peppers	Chives,
Tomatoes	Chives,
Turnips	Chives,
Winter squash	Chives,
Winter chard	Chives,
Winter radish	Chives,
Winter turnip	Chives,
Winter cabbage	Chives,
Winter cauliflower	Chives,
Winter Brussels sprouts	Chives,
Winter sweet corn	Chives,

In the second zone we may add to the foregoing:

Spinach	Spinach,
New Zealand spinach	New Zealand spinach,
Thyme	Thyme,
Saffron	Saffron,
Anise	Anise,
Sage	Sage,
Summer savory	Summer savory,
Winter savory	Winter savory,
Winter marjoram	Winter marjoram,

In favored sunny positions in this zone lettuce, beans, cauliflower, sweet corn, and asparagus may also be grown satisfactorily.

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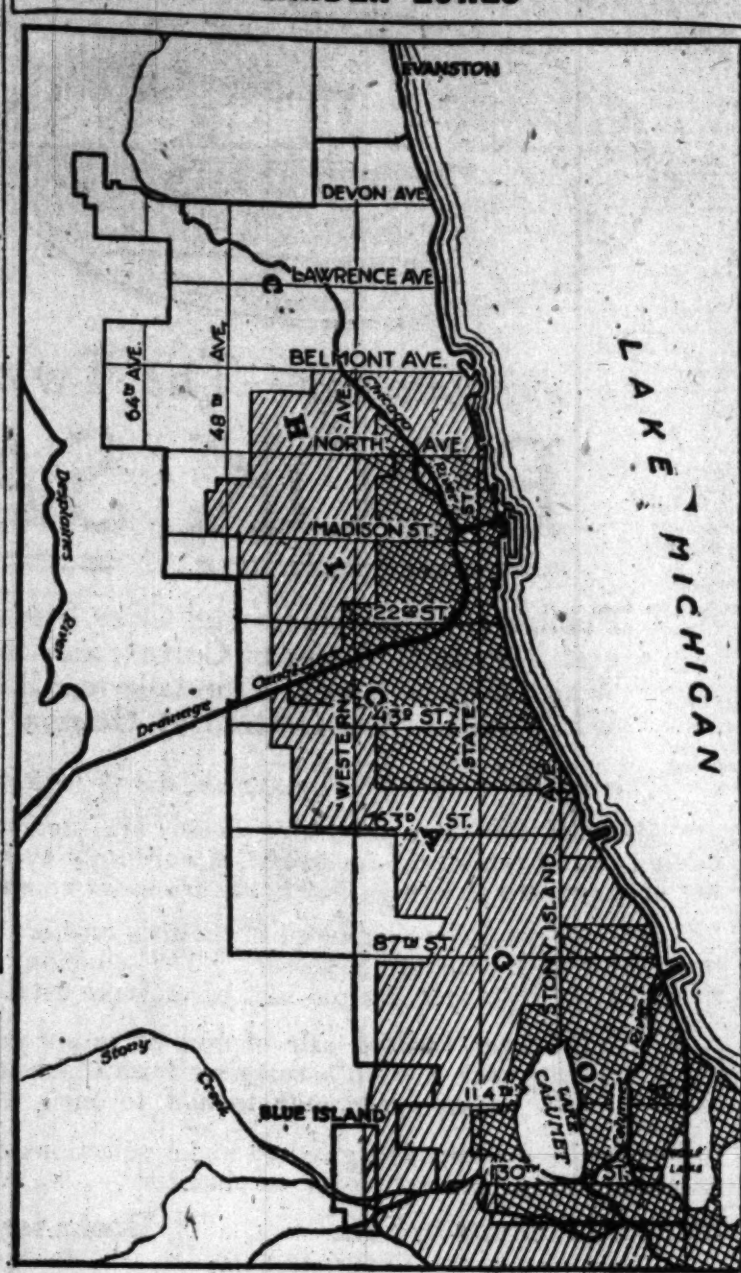
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## GARDEN ZONES



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In the third zone, besides all the foregoing:

Potatoes, Tomatoes, Peppers, Eggplant, Asparagus, Brussels sprouts, Munkmelons, Sweet corn.

Beware of These.

In the first zone the following should not be attempted: Cucumbers, tomatoes, peppers, parsnips, beans, peas, potatoes, turnips, sweet corn, eggplant, berries, and melons.

In the second zone, cucumbers, eggplant, berries, and melons should be avoided.

Obviously, all plants must have sun at least a portion of the day, while those recommended for the second and third zones should preferably be exposed to sunlight all day. Under most unfavorable conditions of shade, smoke, and fumes it is useless to waste time and effort on anything but Swiss chard, early leaf lettuce, kohlrabi used as kale, parsley, celery as greens, chives, and chervil. Where all else fails, try Swiss chard.

Specific varieties of all plants will be advised in due time.

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## MOBILIZE CITY'S CIVIC LEADERS TO AID GARDENS

Chicago's most powerful civic, industrial, and commercial leaders will be mobilized this week as one of the first big steps in the plan to cooperate with the Tribune in its city-wide garden campaign.

"Plant a garden!" will be the slogan of the movement.

With the city of Chicago itself back of the Tribune garden campaign through a resolution passed by the council last week calling upon the city real estate agent to furnish data on every inch of vacant land available for cultivation, leading individuals, civic associations and organizations, industrial and commercial factors will be brought to bear on the success of the campaign by organizing them all into a central working body.

This will be brought about through a committee appointed by Health Com-

missioner John Dill Robertson, who has pledged all the support he can muster to the garden movement.

This committee is headed by Perry G. Holden, chairman, who is the leader of the agricultural extension department of the International Harvester company.

James W. Calley, chief of the city employment bureau and also experienced in expert garden work, is secretary.

Harry Lipke also is a member.

The duty of the committee is to bring every influence possible to bear in order to give prestige to the garden movement, which already has been given impetus by the promise of patches of land in all parts of the city.

"We will line up between 300 and 400 leading individuals of the city, representatives of commercial, industrial, and public service organizations," said Secretary Calley. "This will give the garden campaign the needed cooperation to make it an assured success. Cooperation is what is needed—every individual in the city can play his part."

**Picket Worker Dies.**

Mrs. Stella Rolak, 55 years old, 2114 North Lockwood avenue, was taken suddenly ill on Saturday while at work in the pickle factory.

She died soon after being removed to her home.

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No, it won't cost you \$60, or \$50, or even \$40.

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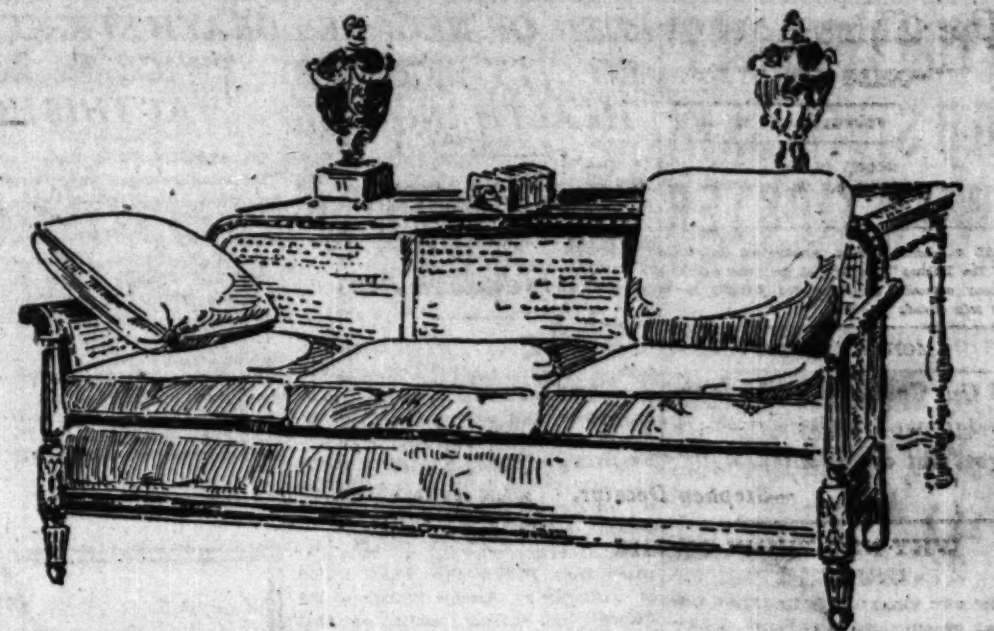
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Colby's introduce this week a davenport of Louis XVI. detail at a very modest price. This davenport is a real value. The frame is made of solid mahogany, with reeded and carved details, cane panel sides and back.

Do not judge this davenport by other cane models. Come and try it. You will find it luxuriously comfortable.

The spring work is of excellent quality, built with removable spring cushions over high-grade spring edge upholstery, insuring not only the utmost comfort but also lasting service. Three loose back pillows.

This davenport is shown on our floors covered in sateen at \$100.00. It may be furnished in fine damask and other covers at \$130.00.



## LOUIS XVI. Easy Chair, \$48.00 Mahogany and Cane

The arm chair illustrated is another example of refined period furniture that is of exceptional quality, invitingly comfortable. Priced:

In green sateen at.....\$48.00  
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## Verona Walnut Table, \$34.50

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## ROBERTSON AND CHIEF SEEK PLOT IN FOOD PRICES

Triple Inquiry Threatens Prosecutions; Search Warehouses.

Chicago, March 4.—The city-federal food investigation will be reached today when a new department of investigators launch a new campaign to determine whether food stores are being monopolized to create artificial shortages.

It is believed that the city department is dealing with the holding up of foodstuffs in being violated arrests and seizures. Chief of Police Schuetzler announced yesterday, following a conference with Health Commissioner Robertson, Dr. Robertson is cooperating with the police and the department of health in the investigation, which began last day ago.

Chief of Police Schuetzler declined to state whether he believes provisions are being held up in violation of the law.

**New Disclosures Probable.**  
"It would take an attorney to say that," he said. "I don't know what the law will find when the look into the places which will be investigated tomorrow."

The city ordinance known as the "hoarding and regrating" act, provides that "it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to buy up, store, or hold in their way to market, any meat, poultry, fish, butter, eggs, cheese, milk, vegetables, flour, meal, sugar, or any other provisions or foodstuffs with intent to withhold same from sale in order to create a scarcity."

Those of not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 for each day the law is violated are provided.

**Three Departments Investigate.**  
The investigators who will go out today with the health department of justice agents are detailed by Chief Schuetzler, and health department agents. One of the squads will be headed by Health Commissioner Robertson.

Regarding the conference with Chief Schuetzler yesterday the health commissioner said flatly that he believes the supply and demand of foodstuffs does not warrant the present prices. He also charged a plot for another boost in food prices.

"I am told," said Dr. Robertson yesterday, "that the price of potatoes and other foodstuffs is to be boosted again through our efforts."

**Broken Arches, Weak Ankles and Flat Feet**  
Corrected by Larson's Anatomic Sta-Right Shoes

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## POLICEMAN HELD ON GIRL'S CHARGE; BRIBE MENTIONED

Policeman Frank Farrell of the New City station was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with contributing to the delinquency of a child. The warrant was obtained before Judge Fisher at the direction of First Deputy Wesley Westbrook.

Farrell, according to the detective, will be charged with contributing to the delinquency of Pauline Konecki, 17 years old, and Marie Konecki and Frances Becker, both of whom are also said to be under age. Miss Konecki testified before Judge Fisher that the policeman had collected \$50 from three saloons, kept \$40 himself, and gave her \$40 to induce her not to testify against the saloonkeepers. They had been arrested for permitting girls to frequent their saloons.

Policeman Farrell was released on a bond. He will be arraigned in the Municipal court this morning.

## TAFT PERILED AS CAR HANGS OVER BRIDGE

Bridgeport, Conn., March 4.—(Special.)—Former President Taft, together with nearly 100 other passengers on a New Haven Short Line train today, was given quite a scare when the car in which Mr. Taft was riding left the tracks just as the engine reached the bridge at Coscob.

The engineer brought the train to a stop on the bridge just as the car was about to topple into the river. The passengers received a severe shaking up as the car bumped along on the railroad ties, and two women fainted from fright. One of these was Mrs. Orndorf of Norwalk. Mr. Taft, unperturbed by his severe jouncing, went to the aid of Mrs. Orndorf.

**Car Kills Aged Man.**  
Peter Proctor, 70 years old, of 815 West One Hundred and Third street, was crushed to death under a One Hundred and Third street car at South Morgan street yesterday noon. He is said to have become confused and to have walked in front of the car.

## FIVE FIREMEN DIE, 3 HURT IN DETROIT BLAZE

Detroit, Mich., March 4.—Five firemen were killed and three others injured, one of whom may die, in a fire which early today swept through two five-story buildings in the center of the downtown business district.

The killed and one of the injured were caught under a mass of timber and twisted steel when three of the lower floors of one of the buildings collapsed. The crash came without warning, carrying down twenty firemen, of whom all but six got out unhurt. Some of the men were imprisoned for four hours.

The two buildings were occupied by the Field Cloth and Suit company and the R. H. Fyfe Shoe company. The fire, of undetermined origin, started in the Field store, which was destroyed, and spread quickly to the Fyfe building, which suffered only partial damage by the upper floors, although the entire shoe stock was damaged by water. The total loss was \$350,000.

## Revell & Co.

March Sale

## Office Furniture

This sale affords an exceptional opportunity to obtain high grade Business Furniture at unusually attractive prices.

Business men in need of new office furniture should not fail to take advantage of the bargains offered.

In addition to our regular stock we have included in this sale a number of discontinued patterns and pieces that are not regular stock finish.

Many of these are priced at less than factory cost.

Our display includes an attractive variety of styles and finishes.

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## Dr. Lyon's

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Send 3c stamp today for a generous trial package of either Dr. Lyon's Perfect Tooth Powder or Dental Cream.

L. W. Lyon & Son, Inc., 463 W. 27th St., N. Y. City



### Low Shoes for the First Warm Days

The man who enjoys being correctly attired will wish to be prepared for the first call of warmer weather, especially when he can select from such an extensive showing of new desirable lasts, \$5.50 to \$12.

Second Floor.



### Finest Japanese Silk Crepe Shirts

Novel in design and exclusive with us, having bosoms plaited by hand, \$15 each. Another novelty plaited shirt is of woven silk, with jacquard figured stripes, \$12 each.

First Floor.



### New Gloves in Tan and Ivory

For smart dress wear we recommend the new ivory washable cape gloves; for practicability and more conservatism we suggest the tan shade gloves. Both are of the same durable quality that has long characterized Marshall Field & Company's gloves, \$2.25 pair.

First Floor.



### New Clockings in Smart Silk Hose

Nothing lends the mark of quality to silk hosiery quite so effectively as tasteful clockings. A wide variety is presented that includes plain, and mottled with vertical stripes, \$1.50 and \$2.50 pair.

First Floor.



## OUR SPRING EXPOSITION IN THE STORE FOR MEN

### THE NEWEST CREATIONS IN AUTHENTIC SPRING STYLES

STYLE is the universal language of refinement. In this Store the important matter of style in dress is treated in an important way, exacting desire is met by efficient response; variety, range and assortments of merchandise give freedom to every masculine taste—meet every individual need.

And in every article of clothing and haberdashery sold here will be found—besides authentic style—our rigid standard of quality.

### Spring Suits and Overcoats to Satisfy the Most Exacting Tastes

So smart in style and fabric is this new Spring Clothing that many men will impatiently await warmer days that will permit of its donning.

The belt all around models in both Suits and Overcoats are so decidedly distinctive that there can be no doubt of their popularity with high school, college and young business men; a trifle more conservative are the half and three-quarter belted styles. Even the more elderly man will be pleased to find here style perhaps a trifle more youthful than that to which he has been accustomed.

These Ready-to-Put-On Suits for Spring 1917 are so correct in style, so carefully tailored and the fabrics are so thoroughly dependable that it seems scarcely probable that any man or young man could be other than thoroughly satisfied after an inspection.

Suits, Third Floor.

Overcoats, Fourth Floor.

## MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY



### "Field Standard" The Better Hats

Exclusive features are embodied in this Headwear which mean, in addition to authentic styles, greater durability. Every shade is represented that will be in good taste for Spring wear, \$5.

First Floor.



### Fashion Favors Striped and Brocaded Neckwear

And with such a quantity of new smart patterns selection is merely a question of satisfying one's personal preference. This is Neckwear that seems to carry a bit of the atmosphere of Springtime, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50.

First Floor.



### Novelty Handkerchiefs for the Top Pocket

One of these richly colored, bordered, Silk Handkerchiefs protruding from the top pocket might be rightly considered an essential to the correctly groomed man. They are our own importation, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.

First Floor.



### New Green Ebony Walking Sticks

Attractive inlaid Bakelite bands and toes immediately characterize these Sticks as up-to-the-minute and correct. Some have silver bands to add to their desirability, \$6.

First Floor.



## 'HOME MADE' PIE A CAUSE OF WOE —MRS. GILMAN

Writer Wants Housewife  
Freed from Drudgery by  
Specialist Laborers.

—BOTH CHICAGO VIEWS  
BY MARGERY CURREY

Women should repudiate the economic relation of their present situation in the average home; the "home kitchen stove" and "home cooking" should be repudiated as a social evil. The industries of the home must be organized and carried on through the application of scientific skill and the business woman should stand beside the man in the home, not as his servant, and the drudgery of the home, in all its phases, should be repudiated.

Assaults Old Notions.  
All the old notions on the making and the function of the home are being assaulted by Mrs. Gilman. "Proper cooking and efficient household service cannot be obtained for the family so long as we treat cooking as a 'set' function, a thing to be done and carried out as a family function not otherwise rightly accomplished," said Mrs. Gilman. "The economic relation prevailing in the average home of today makes efficient and economical management of the home impossible."

"Our domestic economy is the most wasteful department of life. The little industrial system of the home is very near the bottom of the line of economic progress. It costs more money. Women more work and more time and strength than need be by more than one-half. The error of the housewife lies in her assumption that her love for her family makes her domestic service satisfactory. Her family affection does not make her a skilled specialist, and we need specialists for the proper feeding and feeding of the human race."

Specializing Drudge Program.  
Women, by specializing in their business have made great strides in progress. They know it is absurd for them to attempt to perform the specialized work of planning, carpentering, and cooking for their families. Women, unassisted, perform the cleaning, sewing and mending, manage, purchase, and do a thousand other things—and remain at the lowest stage of the scale of progress industrially and economically."

Expert work done by specialists who shall perform it for entire groups in the community is suggested by the speaker as a solution of the question. The corner drug store and saloon would become extensions of her love for her family, and her domestic service to the proper professional and scientific position.

Savings deposited on or before March 6 are allowed interest from March 1 by the

## First Trust and Savings Bank

The stock of this bank is owned by the stockholders of the First National Bank of Chicago. Under the clock on the ground floor at the northwest corner of Monroe and Dearborn Streets.

James B. Forgan  
Chairman of the Board  
Emile K. Bolot  
President



THE reason you do not notice the great number of Atlas Taxicars in Chicago is the reason you should use them—to you, and everyone else, they look like well-appointed private limousines. Only the man who pays the bill knows they are as cheap as the ordinary public taxi.

## "HEALTH AGENTS"

Hoynes May Begin a New Investigation.

State's Attorney Hoynes is to be asked to begin a city-wide crusade on alleged fraudulent "health societies," or agencies which act as brokers for medical services. Investigators employed by the Chicago Medical Society declare the agencies involved have duped hundreds of Chicagoans.

The board of trustees of the Chicago Medical Society have announced that extensive evidence has been obtained against the Chicago Health Society, 633 Plymouth court. The evidence, the investigators claim, will show that the concern is a "pure and simple fake."

The Chicago Health Society is in the office of a publishing house at the Plymouth court address. The business of the society is managed by W. H. Rider.

The society, it is said, has about 1,500 members and an examining staff of ten physicians.

The firm pretends to give its members a fee of \$5. It is charged that the public is not alone deceived but that doctors employed on worthless contracts have been duped.

BING! BANG! AND  
UTPATTEL RIDES  
HOME IN A TAXI

AM. Henry Utpatel of the Fifteenth ward went home in a taxicab Saturday night—without a license. The trip home started from the Rialto saloon, at West Randolph street.

There were gathered in the Rialto several persons of political moment, and among them were Ald. Utpatel, who is the aldermanic colleague of Ald. Rodriguez, and also one Peter Anderson, who lately was an unsuccessful candidate for Ald. Rodriguez's seat. Those who gathered in the fringe of the theater of activity, so to speak, caught the impression that Anderson blamed Utpatel for his lack of votes.

"You're afraid," cried Utpatel, "I won't fight in the street," retorted Anderson. "But if you'll meet me in a gymnasium next Tuesday I'll kick your slats loose."

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Some say there was one, quite distinct impact, others say two or three. Utpatel hastened to sit down on the floor. He rose and again sat down. Then his friends called a taxicab and gently laid him therein.

## BISHOP DOUBTS CARRANZA PART IN GERMAN PLOT

Bishop Francis J. McConnell, who has been in charge of Methodist mission interests in Mexico for the last five years, thinks the Carranza government an innocent bystander in the German plot.

Before giving his address at the Sunday Evening club in Orchestra hall last night, Bishop McConnell discussed the present situation.

"I do not believe Carranza would permit himself," he said, "to be entangled in such a thing. I am inclined to believe that the German move was a precautionary measure, though to be sure a very stupid one, and that it had not reached the stage of a direct approach to Carranza."

"What Germany could do to make us a great deal of trouble would be to stir up race along the border. This, of course, might grow so serious as eventually to lead to war. But the border is a lawless country that has never been under complete Mexican control, even under Diaz."

All the reports which I receive from our workers in Mexico are to the effect that the situation is constantly improving."

VILLA AGAIN IS  
REPORTED DEAD

El Paso, Tex., March 4.—One faction of the Villa junta is authority for the statement that Villa has died from pneumonia in the mountains near San Andres. The other faction says this report is given out to cover Villa's movements, and it is added that Villa is so short of ammunition he is unable to carry out an offensive. For the same reason, Carranza troops in the north are said also to have abandoned the offensive.

LANE TECH. ENDS  
NIGHT CLASSES;  
100 GRADUATE

The Lane Technical Evening school closes one of its most successful seasons this week. More than 100 young men and women will receive evening high school diplomas and a few will receive full day high school diplomas.

Principal William J. Hogan has arranged an exhibition of technical work done in the wood shops, forge and foundry, machine and electrical shops, the printing, mechanical drawing, and free hand drawing departments, and the domestic arts classes, consisting of millinery, dressmaking, dress designing, and tailoring.

Men's tailoring classes have been conducted, with problems in designing, drafting, grading, and cutting patterns.

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## The Allen Bill Scarecrow

### Why Interested Agitators Parade the Ghost of the Allen Bill and Ignore the Practical Provisions of the Traction Plan Recommended by the City's Commissioners.

THE City of Chicago, through its own Traction and Subway Commission, has presented a plan for the development of a rapid transit system in keeping with the public's needs.

Opponents of this plan have one stock "argument" against it.

That "argument" is the Allen Bill.

Whenever it is proposed to grant a franchise that will make possible the development of the plan submitted by the City's experts the sensation mongers shriek "Allen Bill!" Their purpose is to keep the traction problem alive as a political issue to plague the people for the next twenty years as it has plagued them in the past.

WHAT was the Allen Bill?

It was a bill presented twenty years ago providing that a fifty-year street railway franchise should be granted without permitting the people to vote on it.

The Allen Bill did NOT provide that the City should have the right to purchase.

It did NOT provide that the City should receive any part of the Company's profits.

The Allen Bill did NOT give the City authority to regulate or control the traction service.

It provided for the granting of a fifty-year franchise, with no provisions whatever for the city's protection.

THAT WAS THE ALLEN BILL.

NOW let us give practical consideration to the proposed bill under which the comprehensive transportation plan recommended by the City's Traction and Subway Commission is to be made effective.

The proposed bill differs from the Allen Bill:

- 1st—In giving the City the right to purchase at any time.
- 2nd—In providing a full measure of regulation and control by the City Council.
- 3rd—In providing for the purchase and control of the property by the City through the use of a Traction Fund created out of the surplus earnings of the Company.
- 4th—In giving the people a chance to vote on any ordinance passed under the bill.

The difference between the Allen Bill and the proposed bill is as great as the difference between darkness and daylight.

The Allen Bill was accompanied by no plan for a development of traction service.

The plan which is to be carried out under the proposed bill provides definitely for an investment within six years of \$90,000,000 by which the City's traction facilities are to be increased 150%. It provides also for an ultimate investment of at least \$275,000,000, the building and equipment of over 200 miles of elevated and subway lines and the addition of over 500 miles of surface lines.

DOES the fair-minded citizen see in this practical proposition any real similarity to the Allen Bill? Compare the two bills and form your own judgment.

The politicians and sensation mongers who are talking about "Traction Barons" and "Allen Bills" are careful to conceal the character of the franchise which is recommended by the City's Commission.

Do the people of Chicago want action on the Traction Question, or are they willing that it shall be used for twenty years longer as a political football?

DON'T be misled by those who are shouting "Allen Bill." They want to keep the traction question open forever. They are like the quack doctor who prevents the patient from getting well, because it pays him to keep on prescribing treatment.

We are in favor of an open discussion of this matter. If you have a better plan than the one which has been proposed, we will be glad to discuss it with you. Write us. We are ready to give earnest attention to such suggestions as the thoughtful people of Chicago wish to offer.

As a citizen, you are entitled to your views. Let us discuss them in these pages. Send in your criticism of the City's plan, however sharp it may be. Give us your ideas, whether you agree with the City's Commission or not.

## A CALL TO AMERICANS

to assure the President  
that he will receive  
The United Support of the  
American People

In taking effective action to

## UPHOLD AMERICAN RIGHTS

and

## DEFEND THE NATIONAL HONOR

Many citizens who are intensely convinced that the present state of the German submarine question demands prompt and vigorous action in defense of American rights hesitate to press their views for fear of embarrassing the President. No such consideration stays the hand of those who seek to paralyze any effort he may make to carry into practical effect his pledge to omit no act necessary for the protection of American ships and American citizens engaged upon lawful errands on the high seas. The clamor of extreme pacifists, and of those who from other motives are opposed to this patriotic course, makes itself insistently heard, within Congress and without. It is no longer permissible, therefore, for those to remain silent who wish to support the President in the protection of our national rights and the defense of our national honor.

Our ships and our flag are being excluded from the seas by the threat of death and destruction conveyed in Germany's declaration of war on neutral shipping. The need of the hour is to take effectual measures to safeguard our shipping and our citizens. To refuse, or too long delay, such protection would be to acquiesce in the subjugation of American rights to German domination. The time has come to assure the President that he will have the overwhelming support of his fellow countrymen in taking effective measures to meet the intolerable situation with which the country is now confronted.

All those who desire to join in expressing these views are requested to send their names to

NATHAN A. SMYTH, Secretary,  
80 Broadway, New York City.

Joseph H. Choate	Henry de Forest Baldwin	Frederick C. Tanner
Alton B. Parker	R. Underwood Johnson	Cass Gilbert
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James Byrne	William H. Taft	George S. Horiblow
J. Alden Webb	Elmer Root	Julius Sachs
Martin W. Littleton	Henry L. Stimson	Wm. Jay Schieffelin
Joseph M. Price	James R. Garfield	

The names sent in will be communicated to the President. Thousands of responses have come in from all over the country. Contributions to extend this advertisement may be sent by check to the Secretary.

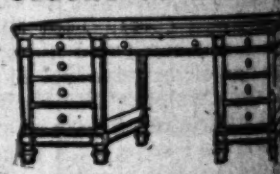
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## TWO MORE MEN CROSS TRAIL OF HIGGINS KILLING

Search for Kisselkar New  
Feature of Hunt for  
Slayers.

Appearance of two new names in connection with the case of Fred L. Higgins, the "Cousin" Palmer Sparks—one a well-known active search throughout the city for a Kisselkar automobile were outstanding features yesterday in efforts of Chicago police to capture the slayer of Higgins on the Hammond road Feb. 27.

The chauffeur now being sought is believed to have taken an active part in the blackmailing operations of Higgins and his partners. The garage employee is believed to have been one of the occupants of the murder car.

The Kisselkar crew is one of vital importance in that it tends to connect a number of persons with the Higgins-Valentine gang, and with Raymond and Bernard Del Guerra, the latter a former associate of Higgins.

Our bought from Higgins. This car, according to Mrs. Jennie Lasky of 3333 South Winchester avenue, was purchased by her two years ago from Higgins at the suggestion of Bernard Del Guerra, a boarder in the Lasky home, and his sister, Valentine.

The factory number of the car is 10,426, which appears in several concealed places on engine, chassis, and body. This car, Mrs. Lasky asserts, was traded for a "Joe P. Walden," supposedly of 3333 South Michigan avenue, together with \$100 in cash, for the purchase of the Ford-Detroit car recovered by the police from the Twin garage, 6511 South Dearborn street, last Friday.

The house of Walden could be found at the address or at any garage in the city, but has search thus far disclosed the whereabouts of the Kisselkar. When the machine is found, however, another member of the Higgins-Valentine gang will be found or an important feature of Mrs. Lasky's statement will have been disclosed.

Lasky Known as Burns. Henry Lasky, her son, arrested Friday night as the owner of the car and released Saturday noon, is known at the place of employment as "Percy Burns." This his mother asserted last night was occasioned by the fact that the name is a Polish name, while the family is a Polish name, while the

## LOVE

Being the Story of a Girl and Her Wooer.

MARCO MARKOVITCH'S infatuation for Anna Leon, 18 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jon Leon, 3181 West Sixteenth street, led to his arrest yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct. Mrs. Leon charges that he has been making threats over the telephone that her husband would have to "come across," because his proposal to marry Miss Leon had been rejected by her parents.

Markovitch was introduced to Mr. Leon at the allied bazaar, where Mrs. Leon assisted Mrs. John Palandech in the Serbian booth. "His" remarks were so veiled and threatening that we decided we would have to take action against him," said Mrs. Leon. "We made an appointment to meet him at West North avenue and North Cicero avenue, and then called Detective Sergt. Edward Rendeau, who lives near us. With the detective we rode in our automobile to the place and found Markovitch in an ice cream parlor there and he was arrested and taken to the station."

Markovitch gave his age as 31 and his home as 4816 St. Paul avenue. He has been working as a street car conductor.

barber shop on Halsted street, where he is employed, is an Irish neighborhood, where Polish names are unpopular.

It is expected that today will see the discovery of the second Paige car believed to have passed into Higgins possession after being stolen from L. J. Sheridan of Evanston. It was the body from this car which had been placed on the chassis of a Paige car stolen from Milwaukee. The Milwaukee body and the Evanston chassis probably were combined in another car.

It also developed yesterday from the statement of J. H. Lasky of the Lawrence street garage where Higgins, under the name of "Walsh," and Everett Burget, another friend of Valentine Del Guerra, stored their cars during the early winter, that Higgins stole front and rear license tags from the automobile of a Dr. Larson in the Lasky garage.

Later, when taxed with the theft, Higgins is alleged to have paid \$5 with the assertion he would rather lose that sum than to have trouble.

Methodists to Consider  
Sectarian Education

Public support for sectarian education will be the subject of a report which will be considered today by the Methodist ministers behind closed doors at the First Methodist Episcopal church. The executive session will last from 10:30 to 11:30, when the doors will be open to the public to hear an address by Bishop F. J. McConnell of the Denver area.

## CATHOLICS MAKE CITY-WIDE MOVE TO AID ORPHANS

Cards were passed in all of the parishes of the Catholic church of the Chicago archdiocese yesterday asking for subscriptions towards the care of orphans made dependent on the church by the withdrawal of support from public funds.

"As soon as the cards are returned we will report to Archbishop Mundelein. He will know then what further steps to take," explained a priest. Subscriptions are sought on the basis of \$10 a month for a year for the care of each orphan. A subscriber may pledge for a portion of the support of a child ranging from \$2 to \$10 a month. Eighty homeless children have been placed in family homes by the Catholic Home Finding Association of Illinois, a Knights of Columbus organization, since March 4, 1916, according to the report of Supl. Maurice R. Reddy to the annual meeting of the directors, held yesterday.

Seventy-five of these placements are permanent, the parents taking the child for adoption.

The average cost to the association per child was \$42, covering all expenses of office maintenance, investigation of homes, and supervision of children after placement.

The following officers were elected: President, John T. Lillis, Chicago; vice president, Charles H. Degenhardt, Alton; secretary, William J. Clark, Chicago; and treasurer, John A. Lynch, Chicago.

Bismarck Fatal to Orlans.

Bellefontaine, O., March 4.—(Special.)—A blizzard that raged here all day caused the death of Edward McLaughlin, deputy county auditor for many years, who fell dead in the street from exhaustion while returning from making a call on a sick member of his church.

## Special Banking Hours

The Central Trust is a home bank as well as a business bank.

On Mondays the Savings Department is open all day from 10 a. m. until 8 p. m. for the convenience of home people and others who cannot get away during the busy part of the day.

Call some Monday evening before eight and join the busy savers who do their banking during special banking hours.

Start an account with a dollar or more. To help, we will loan you a useful "Save-and-See" self-recording metal bank which makes every hour a banking hour.

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## Fashion Says: "A Tailored Suit for Spring"



The exclusive tailored suit has returned, and Fashion announces without hesitation that it has come to stay. One may have one's choice of materials—but the tailored line that spells simplicity and correctness appears in all. The coat and two-piece skirt bare of any ornament will have a tremendous vogue, though Fashion permits a bit of braid, an extra button or two and a soft silk collar.

In seasons past one's last year's model has been known to do. But Fashion makes a new selection for this Spring imperative. For this is the secret: This Year's Model is Different. It is distinctively of the Present—the suit of last year, all too truthfully, speaks the Past.

To the Left—This tailored model in fine gray Serge has a narrow hairline of white cross-stitching. The coat fastens snugly at the waist line and finishes with jaunty flare. One may also have it in beige Tricotone or a rich tan English Worsteds. All are self-lined with soft Peau de Cygne. \$45.00.

There is no finish more favorable to the correctly suited woman than the braid bound edges of a coat. The navy Tricotone in the center of the group is braid bound with many bone buttons and boasts an attractive lining of fancy Peau de Cygne. \$45.00.

It is a mannish light coat at the right, topping a two-piece pocketed skirt. The material is navy Pointe de Tulle, the buttons are bone, black silk braid finish and the distinctive pockets and flare cuffs furnish the irresistible touch. The lining is white with a stripe. \$45.00.

## Skirts

were never so much in demand as they are this season. And it is hardly to be wondered at when one sees the many smart, attractive models which are being shown in our Skirt Section on the fourth floor.

Here are skirts suitable for every possible need—wash satins, Khaki Kool, fancy and plain silks, and a great variety of the always favored poplins and serges. Prices from \$5.00 to \$25.00.

## Dresses

The ready-to-wear gown of yester-year has no place in Madam's wardrobe this season. From the designer to the finishing touch nothing more individual or exquisite, yet retaining every emblem of the practical could be conceived than this year's models in gowns which are here in endless numbers.

Soft Wool Jerseys, lustrous Taffetas, and filmy Georgettes make a selection bewildering—but sure. Prices from \$15 to \$50 in the simpler models. Others from \$50 to \$100 and up.

## Coats

Here are utility coats, motor coats, street coats, coats of every description for every occasion. And certainly no garment is better tempered against the lingering chill of spring than the comfortable, light (or heavy) spring coat.

Materials are Scotch and English tweeds, serge, gabardine, Burella, English velour, Bolivia and worsteds. Prices from \$18.50 to \$75.00 and up.

## March Silk Sale

6,500 Yds. Low Priced Novelty and Black Silks  
2,500 yards new high grade Novelty Stripe Taffeta, with fifty (50) new stripe and color combinations from which to select. A most unusual offering at \$1.45 yard.

Tab Silks, for waists and men's shirts, many new Japanese and domestic qualities, great variety of color and stripe combinations, 31 inches wide, 95c to \$2.50 yard.

BLACK SILKS  
Black Crepe Meteor, two splendid qualities in this popular silk, 40 inches wide, \$2.00 and \$2.50 yard.

Black Taffeta, Stevens' Special Gold Edge. We guarantee the wear of this taffeta, \$1.45 yard.

Black Satin Duchess, for dresses, suits and wraps, three special qualities, 36 inches wide, \$1.45, \$1.95 and \$2.45 yard.

## Comfort and Smart Lines in New Stevecco Corsets

**STEVECCO MODEL for short, stout figure, larger above than below the waist line.**

This model is typically French, medium in height and length. Ample fullness through diaphragm, underarm and shoulder, with well defined waist line curved to support the bust.

Made of French Coutil, strictly tailored. Sizes to 36. Price, \$12.50.

**STEVECCO MODEL for tall, stout figures, with large hips and round abdomen.**

This model equally distributes the flesh, anchoring it at the waist line and supporting the bust and full abdomen, reducing the hips and molding the figure, giving the appearance of longer lines and greatly reduced weight.

Made of Pink Tulle, sizes to 38, \$16.50.

Selecting and fitting the corset is too fundamental a matter of dress to be carelessly considered. Consult those who know and be fitted with Stevens' incomparable service.

### Toilet Articles

Pinaud's Brise Embaume Violette Extract, priced at \$1.45 bottle and \$2.95 bottle.

Bourjois' "Manon Lescant" Face Powder, all tints, priced at 85c box.

Rigaud's "Mary Garden" Talcum Powder, priced special at 35c bottle.

Bourjois' "Java Riz" Face Powder, special at 25c box.

"Kolyne's" Tooth Paste, 25c size, priced at 15c each.

Piver's "Aurea" and "Le Treffe Incarnat" Face Powder, all tints, specially priced at 85c box.

Piver's bulk Extracts, specially priced at 65c oz.

"Palm Olive" Toilet Soap at 75c dozen.

"Bocabella" Castile Soap, 75c bar.

Pure Castile Soap, 4-lb. bar, special at 50c bar.

Hughes' new No. 66 Waterproof Ideal Brushes, priced at \$1.50.

No Phone or Mail Orders on These Items.

### Tricot Silk Vests

These garments were purchased several months ago, which enables us to sell them at the former low prices.

Tailored band tops and shoulder straps, in white and pink, like illustration, all sizes 34 to 44, made of unusually good quality silk. Each, \$1.50.

Extra Length Tricot Silk Vests, \$1.95.

Tricot Silk Bloomers, manufacturers' samples and irregulars. Two lots at \$2.45 and \$1.95.

Italian Silk Vests, embroidered, all samples of best quality silk, at \$2.95.

### Veils—New Scroll Designs

Vogue, speaking with authority, says the scroll design in veils will be immensely popular.

Here are the Novelty, Sheer, Hexagon Mesh, Semi-Circular Veils in new scroll designs; black, navy, taupe and brown. Each, \$1.00.

### The New Metal Girdles

The new Metal Girdles are here in many smart styles, in metal and celluloid ivory combinations, some set with fancy colored stones. In green, oxidized or silver finish. Priced \$2.25 to \$24.00.

### Perrin's Kid Gloves

Prices on imported gloves are advancing rapidly, so we would urge a liberal selection at these favorable prices.

Perrin's Fine French Overseam Kid Gloves, with three-row embroidered backs; black, white and colors, per pair, \$2.00.

Washable Kid Gloves, a very satisfactory glove for street wear, in pearl, Newport, canary, tan, gray and black. Per pair, \$2.00.

### Georgette Crepe Collars

Unusually large assortments of Hand Embroidered Georgette Crepe Collars. Quality and style shown in every collar. Each, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up.

# Notice

Every producer—from the dairy farmer to the automobile manufacturer—has had rising costs to reckon with. The makers of Tom Moore and Little Tom have not been exempted. In two years the cost of our tobacco leaf has advanced over 50%.

## Little Tom now 5¢ straight

Neither your friend, the dealer, nor ourselves can any longer afford to sell six Little Toms for 25c. To maintain quality and workmanship we must now ask a price of 5c straight—or 5 for 25c.

## TOM MOORE (Havana Filled) CIGAR - TEN - CENTS "A light hearted Havana"

### LITTLE TOM 5¢

Clarence Hirschhorn & Co., 217-219 West Randolph St., Chicago





## Millinery

## Costumes

## Coats

## Suits

## Blouses

## Veils

## Gloves

## Handkerchiefs

THE style supremacy of this Store is so well recognized that this Spring Exposition determines for thousands of people their choice of Spring wardrobes. Women with a reputation for good dressing, men remarked in club and office for the correctness of their personal appointments, find in the displays of this Store reliable guides to what is newest, what is smartest, what will be accepted by those whose clothes express grace and ease and refinement. In a season when close communication with Paris has been difficult, it is a tribute to the resources of this Store that we now announce, beginning this morning, one of the most beautiful—we believe *the* most beautiful—of all Spring Expositions. It is our pleasure now to invite all to this showing.

# MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY

Hosiery

## Footwear

## Parasols

The Parasols of Spring will cast their reflections from the most elaborate designs. Many are charmingly traced with silks and metallic threads on the inside, and it is not unlikely to suspect they will be tilted far over the shoulders to allow the world to see their beauty. There are, too, Parasols of sports materials, and graceful flat models from Japan, embroidered with blossoms and birds. Handles are shorter and share the elaborate trimmings of the Parasols themselves.

## Sports Attire

## Skirts

*Misses' Suits*

From the jauntiest of boy-jacketed Suits of serges, caissettes, tricotines and woos, to the most exquisite of men's Suits of shimmering in orchid and other pale tints, Suit Section launches this morning some of the loveliest yet created for the young man. The wool jerseys are much in demand for travel and motor wear, and silk jerseys are the brilliant colors which lend their creation for sports and country wear. Embroidery distinguishes both the satin and jersey Suits, and the silk braided buttons are lavishly employed on the cloth Suits.

### Misses' Coats

These are delightfully young in line—short-waisted bodices, yoke lines which enhance the charm of their wearers, generously wide skirts and large collars. But the fabrics are as varied as Bolivia, burlaps, gaudy velours, loopines, guirburs, satins and silks—and the colors range from the dun of the pampas to the brilliance of marigold; from the subdued beauty of periwinkle blue to maize to the glowing warmth of Sharon rose. For charm of color seems one distinctive attribute of these Spring modes and it is reckoned with in silken Wools as well as street and motor coats of softest woolsens.

*Misses' Frock*

Radiant with the spirit of womanhood and Spring, these models are difficult to appreciate unless one has seen the fluttering flower-garlands, sequins reminiscent of moonlight on water, their jeweled straps from which swing little metal pockets in the airiest of tulle and Frocks. There are the practical street Dresses in coat and great numbers of all Frocks for afternoon wear so much quaintness to recommend them. The Net Frocks are never quite so beautiful, their lavish lace insertions a hand embroidery.

Misses' Blouses in finest crepe and batistes are features of the showing.

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Ten persons were last bound Sixty-  
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new car at 10 o'clock.  
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as the scrambled in

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nue car were:  
Mrs. William H.  
No. East Seventy  
badly shaken up  
husband.  
Mrs. R. A. Be  
Marquette avenue  
body and right h  
John Johnson, h  
brook avenue; b  
cut; wounds d  
drug store.  
Edgar Odianum  
Calumet avenue;  
taken in the H  
hance to the ill  
R. H. Frank, 4  
guests avenue; r  
bruised; injuries  
Ladford Stone,  
tage Grove avenue  
left arm cut.  
Victims of  
Those injured in

car were:  
Mrs. Beas Price,  
East Sixty-fifth  
side injured; taken  
to the Woodlawn  
Park hospital.  
Catherine Evans,  
Evans avenue; in-  
jured; taken to  
A. J. Barrow, 3  
side avenue; right  
Mrs. Emma Re-  
nack; legs bruised  
Mr. Barrow was  
in his arms. The  
Michael Shaug-  
wood avenue; H.  
street and Mrs. J.  
avenue, were on  
and had narrow  
injury.  
"The only one  
from death," said  
Woodlawn station  
construction and  
Cottage Grove at  
its upright posi-  
tion was knocked ten

**BAR TALK  
FOR R  
IN RAV**

The Ravenswood refused a permit for the erection of a structure for a sign set to begin hoisted yesterday at L. Selden, chairman.

Because of this the structure at the side of the avenue. Will the refusal of the building department apply to the building of the sign Sunday at the park at Polk Charles W. Munroe, chairman of the Sunday building of the sign, said, "No other city will let him build a sign like this." He said, "The building of the sign will let him build a sign like this."

**West Park**  
**Civil**

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## LIEUTENANTS IN GRAFT NET FACE MERIT PENALTY

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FASHION'S  
BLUE BOOK

BY CORINNE LOWE.

**Bright Sayings of the Children**

"The Tribune" will pay \$1 for each children saying printed. The only condition is the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. Write on one side of the paper only. If it is not possible to acknowledge or return several sayings, address them to Corinne Lowe, 222 N. Dearborn St., Chicago.

Bright Sayings  
of the Children

While mother was busy engaged in the living room entertaining a caller, David slipped to the kitchen to see what the grocer brought. Finding a large can of tea he emptied it into a large

"What are you doing now?"

"Why, I've been making you and 'at lady a cup of tea."

One day John and his father were walking downtown when they suddenly came upon a slippery sidewalk. They had hardly taken ten steps when John's legs slipped from under him and down he went. His father immediately began helping him up and anxiously inquired if he was hurt. "No," replied John, slowly, "but it didn't do me any good."

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Another Clean  
and Well Acted  
"Cinderella" Film.

## "KITTY MACKAY"

Produced by Vitaphone.  
Directed by Willard North.  
Presented at the Regal.  
THIS CAST:  
Kitty Mackay.....Lillian Walker  
Meg.....Jewel Hunt  
Lord Ingelhart.....Charles Kent  
Sandy McNab.....D. J. Ferguson  
Mrs. McNab.....Mrs. West  
David McNab.....David Cameron  
Hank McNab.....William Shiba

BY MAE TINEE.

THIS "Kitty Mackay" is an improbable, frothy, but well acted picture. The plot being about as original of expression as a tongue tied babe. It may be classed among what is popularly known as the "Cinderella" productions, for the beautiful and hapless heroine, abused and persecuted by cruel guardians, is rescued from her sad predicament by the handsome young man, son of a lord, whom she marries at the end of five reels. You are, however, urged to forgive and overlook trifles, taking into consideration the good work that has been put into the picture and the fact that it bids fair to be the last production in which the blonde and cuddlesome Miss Walker will appear for some time.

The picture, which was taken from the play of the same name, claims Scotland as its basis of action, and the sets and costumes are effective. Some of the publicans are really clever, and Miss Walker, as she dimples and smiles in and out of the scenes, will delight her admirers. Jewel Hunt, as Kitty's chum, Meg, is another likable young person, and the two together manage to furnish considerable excitement for our Scotsmen.

The two persons whose acting particularly commended itself to me were, however, W. J. Ferguson and his wife of the picture, a Mrs. West. They were the two cruel guardians, who while ostensibly tenderly caring for Kitty, pocketed her \$5 monthly allowance, and were, of course, as wicked as the devil. You will get a good laugh out of Mr. Ferguson when, feigning death, is about to spirit him away, he undertakes speedy and thorough reform.

Charles Kent is always good to see. Donald Cameron, the hero, is nice, though not gifted with any special magnetism. Minor parts were creditably taken.

## Why Jane Lee Cries

The two little Lee children, Jane and Katherine, accompanied by Mother Lee, visited me at the office the other day, and human enough kiddies they proved themselves to be, investigating strange places with the frank inquisitiveness of small children, and making young people, after we had made the rounds, being introduced, petted, offered candy and colored supplements (editorial "we" of course) I said to Mrs. Lee:

"If it really troubles Jane to cry, I'll show you," she said. "Katherine!" "Yes!" The older child with her mass of red curls, fastened in an old-fashioned knot behind, came up. "And to her side marched fat Baby Jane, with cheeks still rosy from her appearance at the theater. (That seemed wrong, somehow.) Said Mrs. Lee: 'You're going to work now, say the speech you may when Jane has to cry.' And this is what Katherine said to fat Baby Jane, who faced her:

"Jane, dear, do you remember the night when mamma went out and left me all alone? And we didn't have anything to eat and we were so hungry? And we were afraid? And we were so cold because we didn't have any blankets on our bed? And we were all ill? Remember, Jane?"

Jane nodded. The round baby face was downcast. The little lips curved downwards pathetically. The blue eyes were misted. Like a person under a spell she listened while several times the older child, already crying herself, repeated the sad story. Then two big tears welled up in her eyes and dropped on the plump, rosy cheeks. Jane had "worked" successfully. "Up!" she went to pieces afterwards, flying at her sister and striking futilely while she shook with nervousness. The "stunt," which had for a moment seemed so terribly convincing, was on an aspect of tragedy. Indiscreetly patting the two children, who really suffer through the suffering he imagines—thus taking so early in life their

A Glass of Water an  
Hour Before Meals  
Is Good for You

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

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## LILLIAN WALKER

As She Appears in Her Latest  
(and Probably Last) Vitaphone  
Picture.



places in the ranks of "skilled" laborers.

ASK ME! ASK ME!

RUTH R. C.: There have been no recent pictures with your favorite featured. I don't know, I'm sure.

H. R. H.: Ralph Lewis was the crippled statesman in "The Birth of a Nation."

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## Tribune Cook Book

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

All recipes have been carefully tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indexed by her.

Washed carrots still about 3 cents a pound and yellow turnips a little above that, but not 4 cents. Try steaming the first and always use a little carrot in bean and pea soup. It may also be chopped fine and used with other raw vegetables in salads.

## Spanish Codfish or Haddock

PROBABLY no one writes on food today who can avoid criticism as to the truth or falsity of the statements made. One of the reasons for this is that different localities have different conditions to contend with, and one is almost certain to have some advantage over the other. We have to remember that if California can send apples to New York, where they can be sold for less than the Atlantic smelt, fish prices ought to be reasonable, indeed, in California. This is no positive proof, however, that they are.

And besides this many of our fruits and vegetables come from California, and we have to pay the freight—fast freight, bills. In a remote locality I found broccolis the other day, which I paid 25 cents a pound. It came from California, where they undoubtedly get it for 5 cents.

Startling things have happened to green peppers hereabouts, but very likely when the following recipe was written in California they may have cost 1 or 2 cents there, and onions and tomatoes little more. The author, whose address is a rural delivery near Sonoma, Cal., may have had the peppers in her own garden and bought olive oil first hand. Here is her recipe, which, divided by two, makes enough for four people:

"Two pounds fresh codfish or haddock, two cups cooked tomatoes, six or less if desired, six green peppers, one-third cup olive oil, one teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, a little paprika, three cloves of garlic, three large onions. Roll and flake the codfish, chop onions and garlic together, and shred peppers. In small pieces. Heat the olive oil, add the onions and garlic, and fry to a golden brown. Then turn in the peppers, searings, tomatoes, and codfish. If the mixture is not moist enough, add a little extra tomato juice or water. Simmer slowly for an hour and combine with the eggs, which have been slightly beaten. Return to heat and cook for two or three minutes without allowing the mixture to boil. It should be stirred constantly. Serve with cold boiled rice."

"O. no," came the answer, "but when I get there you'll get the freshness knocked out of you."

"When the train from his station pulled in I saw a tall, handsome young man rush to my ticket window, and I knew he had kept his word. He looked

## Real Love Stories.

## Lo-And Behold!

WORKED as telegraph operator in a small railroad station in Illinois, being the only operator on that branch of the road. Operators are known by a combination of one or two and sometimes three letters, I being known as "LO."

One day a new operator was assigned to the next station south of me, and that very same day we quarreled. He informed me that I would have to send my train orders slower as he couldn't receive as fast as I was sending. So I sent a little slower; still he had a hard time trying to get what I sent. After he received the order he informed me that I would have to "cut it out."

I replied: "Well, why don't you go back to school and finish your course?" To which he replied: "Mind your own business."

I became angry and told him he didn't know his or I wouldn't have to tell him.

He looked at me and smiled, saying: "No, I should say not. 'LO' will look like a wreck when I get through."

I smiled back and replied: "I never looked like a wreck before, but guess I'll have to now, seeing that you won't give in."

He understood, and we both laughed. He said: "So you're 'LO'?"

We became good friends that day, and he made many more trips to my station, but of different nature than the first.

Six months later we were married.

Can Boys Forget?

"Dear Miss Blake: Do boys, as a rule, forget quicker than girls? I just want to know if he ever thinks of me."

Truly, I didn't think it possible for any one to forget love affairs more quickly than some of the girls I have known. But perhaps it's "six of one and half a dozen of the other." You have evidently fallen in love with one of those butterfly boys, the sort who go through life prying himself on the number of hearts he can break, and in the end getting a dreadful bump himself. The thing for you to do, if he is of this variety, is to sit right up and take notice of the many nice people there are left in the world.

How to Tell Him.

"Dear Miss Blake: When should a girl take a boy's arm and when should he take hers? Is it necessary to ask a boy in when we have been out and return rather late? And, lastly, but not least, how shall a girl tell a boy it is time to leave when she stays late?"

The girl never takes the boy's arm except in the grand march at a dance, or if he offers his arm in escorting her to dinner. Do not ask the boy in, unless it is very cold. If the hour is past 10 p. m. The last, but not least, question is a problem. I will admit. About the best way is to have it understood that there is a family ruling which says: "Not later than ten or ten fifteen," whatever it may be.

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FEDERAL TRADE BOARD FIXES PAPER PRICES

James \$50 a Ton as Fair Charge for Product in Car Lots.

Washington, D. C., March 4.—The federal trade commission today accepted a proposal by news print paper manufacturers that it fix a price for their product, and named \$2.50 a hundred pounds as a reasonable charge. Higher prices were set for paper in less than car lots and for sheet paper.

The commission's action was announced by the commission in a preliminary report to congress on its investigation of the news print paper industry. The report stated that there had been no real shortage of paper, but that important manufacturers of the United States and Canada had banded together to secure unreasonable profits.

The commission's findings were outlined briefly as follows: The increase in the selling price of news print paper for 1917 was greater than could be justified by the increase in cost.

There is not now and has not been a shortage of news print. The system of distribution of news print is faulty. The close balance between supply and demand could be developed into local shortages, and this situation was taken advantage of and exaggerated by artificial means. Competition among the comparatively numerous publishers, who bid feverishly for the paper, helped to create the situation more acute.

Chances for Fixing Prices. The increase in price was a boon due to the fact that news print has been seriously restricted in the news print paper industry. Important manufacturers in the United States and Canada have banded together to secure unreasonable profits.

Small publishers have already been in a position to buy news print at a lower price, and some publishers will be financially unable to buy news print at the new price. The commission makes it clear that it is not an agency of the government, and it declines to act until both the manufacturers' proposal and provisions for the publisher's proposal are agreed to.

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RISK MEN PUSH AGENCY BILLS IN LEGISLATURE

Chicago Life Field Club Is in Favor of License Limitation Law.

BY C. M. CARTWRIGHT. Interest is being taken by life insurance men in the two bills introduced in the Illinois house by Sidney Lyon at the instance of the Chicago Life Insurance Field Club. One bill makes it unlawful for any one connected with the business establishment to write life insurance on any other person connected with it, thus getting the benefit of the commission and properly legalizing a rebate.

The other bill is an agency qualification bill which requires an applicant for a license in which fifteen questions are asked that require to be answered. These must be answered under oath and the superintendent of insurance is authorized to make an applicant for a license in which fifteen questions are asked that require to be answered.

Interest in New York Plans. Interest is being taken by life insurance men in the recommendation of the New York state department for the amendment of the law with reference to the retirement of capital stock of life companies. Mr. Phillips states in his report that this recommendation is especially intended to afford opportunity to retire the stock of the Equitable Life of New York.

On the subject of fraternal life insurance it is pointed out by Mr. Phillips that the fraternal societies are reporting to the New York state department a valuation report of their outstanding obligations shows only fourteen which have a ratio of assets to liabilities equal to or in excess of 100 per cent. In other words, which show themselves to be actuarially sound. Supt. Phillips takes a pronounced stand against the so-called "whole family insurance" by fraternal societies, which is quite generally advocated by the officials of these institutions unless the societies are able to show that they are actuarially solvent.

Sprinklered Risks Discussed. Owing to the large number of losses during the winter on properties equipped with automatic sprinklers, the fire insurance companies and the various company organizations writing this class of business are taking up with policyholders the need of great caution in regard to the equipment. The strain during the long cold spell was severe, and in many cases disastrous results followed the freezing up of the pipes or the turning of water to repair the heating system, or for some other purpose.

Two Bonding Companies Merge. The details of the consolidation of the Chicago Bonding and Surety Company and the Prudential Casualty Company of Indianapolis have been effected, the consolidated company taking the name of the Chicago Bonding and Insurance Company. The head office will be in Chicago. Congressman A. J. Sabath, thinking as president.

The North American Life of Chicago is celebrating its tenth anniversary this year and during the week had an anniversary banquet and business meeting of its leading agents, stockholders, directors, and officers. The company now has \$24,000,000 of insurance in force.

NEW YORK WEEKLY STOCK RANGE.

Sales High, Low, Close, ch.				Net				Sales High, Low, Close, ch.				
dr. Rumley	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	Lee Rub. & Tre.	3,600	211	176	17
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"Regarding war as inevitable, Wall Street believes that it would be preferable to this uncertainty about the actual date of its commencement. Canada and Japan are at war and are more prosperous than ever before. . . . The popular view is that stocks would have a quick, sharp reaction immediately upon outbreak of hostilities and that then they would enjoy an old-fashioned bull market such as followed the outbreak of war with Spain in 1898. . . .

Abraham Lincoln said, "I am for the people—the people of the whole nation—doing just as they please in all matters which concern the whole nation." We say with Lincoln that "the people are the rightful masters of both Congresses and Courts." "Congress has the constitutional power to declare war; but if war comes it will not be Congress that will do the fighting." The people themselves will do the fighting and they will pay the bill, in death, in suffering, in sorrow, and in taxes to the third and fourth generations, the people who fight will pay.

If you want to spread this

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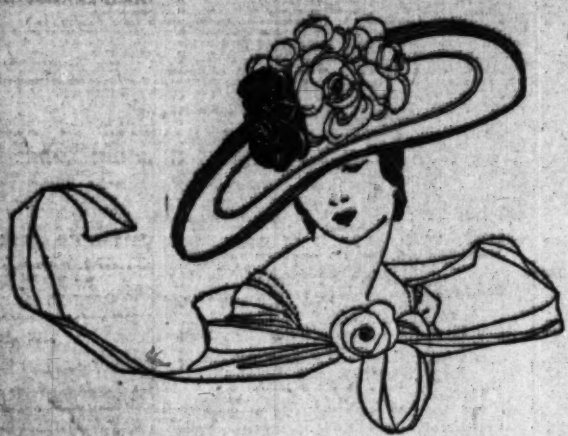




THE store seems like a huge spring flower just budding with new modes and new fabrics, offering intensely interesting displays these days.

# CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & Co

FASHIONS in supreme authority are presented here denote the mode of the season in suits, frocks, coats, apparel of all kinds.



## Spring Millinery

An Exposition Exclusively Devoted to the Latest Edicts of Mode

Art comes into its own once more in millinery. The modiste-creators have again decreed the more elaborate type of hat—requiring, even in its most simple phases, a skill almost of genius in its creating. This renewed art finds expression in—

**Tulle-Covered Flower-Crowned Hats**  
**Small Hats, Superlatively Smart in Their Simplicity**  
**Brimmed Hats of Picturesque Contours**

All colors, all fabrics are used. Flowers from orchids to forget-me-nots. Brims widen at the sides—perhaps for the new "barrel" silhouette, surely for becomingness.

The French Room Makes This Presentation with Pleasurable Anticipation of Your Visit To-day.  
Fifth Floor, South.

## Spring Dress Fabrics

This store is particularly fortunate in showing assortments of the wool fabrics which answer so well the call of fashion.

**Imported Scotch Homespuns, \$2.50 Yard**

Very desirable and of unusual value are these Scotch homespuns in a crashy effect—in gray and tan mixtures and in the 54-inch width.

Novelty plaids in contrasting colors, in which yellows and blues predominate—the 54-inch width at \$3 yard.

Gunniburi suitings in navy blue, stone gray, sand, plum, mode and black, in the 52-inch width, at \$3.50 yard.

Light weight jersey cloths in green, tan, sand, gray, Empire, Spanish gold, golden rod, canary, petunia, navy blue and black and white, in the 54-inch width, at \$3.50 yard.

Second Floor, North.

Modes That Illustrate the Varying Degrees of Simplicity in

## Negligees of Crepe de Chine

And when these charming garments adopt simplicity as their creed and pin all their faith to exquisite coloring and grace-giving lines the effect is truly irresistible, as one may note in—

**The Crepe de Chine Negligees at \$10.75**

Straight in line, with narrow box pleats gently held in by heavy cords—in pale pink, light blue, Delft blue, wistaria, rose and peach. Sketched at the right.

**The Crepe de Chine Negligees at \$8.95**

Almost classic in their simplicity of line, with handwork richly applied at collar and sleeve—in shades of blue and pink and peach tint. Sketched at the left.

Incoming Now—New Shipments Bringing Hand-Embroidered Japanese Kimonos, \$10.50  
Mandarin Coats, \$8.95

Third Floor, North.

## Silks—the Beautiful, the New

Spring assortments reveal a wealth of wonderful colors, charming designs, exclusive and unusual, proving this silk section attune to the moods of fashion, no matter what they may be.

**New YoSan Silks, Splendid Assortments, \$3 Yard**

These in the new sports colors and in stripes as well as plain effects, in the 36-inch width.

Satin charmeuse in a variety of spring colors—two excellent qualities in the 40-inch width, at \$3 and \$4 yard.

**Desirable Silks Attractively Priced, at \$1.45 Yard**

These assortments consist of

All-silk white crepe de Chine in the 40-inch width.

Black chiffon taffetas of a dependable quality in the 36-inch width.

And black Paillette de Soie, a dull finish satin fabric, in the 40-inch width.

Second Floor, North.

## Signally Special in the March Sale Hand-Bags at \$3.35

This is only one of the many groups which will prove to you, we believe, that a splendidly worthwhile sale is in progress. It presents—

**Complete Varieties of Hand-Bags, Silk and Leather, at This Pricing**

Moire silk bags with dainty jeweled clasps.

Envelope-bags, with top or back straps and closing with enameled buttons. Tailored bags, simple and extremely smart. Leathers afford a choice of pin seal, morocco, panther grain and vachette.

At the same time equally worthy values are to be found in March Sale collections of hand-bags at \$1.90 to \$6.85.

First Floor, South.

## A Most Opportune Sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases

An exceptionally profitable time, indeed, will this prove to those who take advantage of the pricing on these assortments of Bridal and Pride of the West sheets and pillow cases while quantities last.

### Bridal Sheets and Pillow Cases

(Sheets)	(Pillow Cases)
63 x 99 inches.....\$0.95	42 x 38½ inches.....25c
72 x 99 inches.....1.00	45 x 36 inches.....25c
81 x 99 inches.....1.10	45 x 38½ inches.....27c
90 x 108 inches.....1.30	50 x 38½ inches.....31c

### Pride of the West Sheets and Pillow Cases

(Sheets)	(Pillow Cases)
65 x 99 inches.....\$1.18	42 x 38½ inches.....28c
72 x 108 inches.....1.38	45 x 38½ inches.....30c
81 x 99 inches.....1.38	48 x 38½ inches.....32c
90 x 99 inches.....1.48	50 x 38½ inches.....34c
90 x 108 inches.....1.58	54 x 38½ inches.....36c

Pride of the West hemstitched sheets—size 65 x 99 inches, \$1.30; size 72 x 99 inches, \$1.40, and size 81 x 99 inches is specially priced at \$1.50.

### Featuring Fancy Embroidered Pillow Cases

Fine embroidered cases with scalloped edges at \$1.25 and \$2 pair. Embroidered day cases in effective designs, \$2 and \$2.50 pair. Embroidered envelope cases, excellent values at \$1.75 to \$2.75 pair.

Second Floor, North.



Of Serge or Checks, \$45. Of Tulle, \$52.50. Of Matinee Faille, \$75. Of Stockinet Cloth, \$32.50. Of Valenciennes, \$45.

## A Display of Women's Spring Suits

In Which the "1917" Mode Declares Itself Definitely

And affirms in countless delightful styles the vogue of the suit for spring.

Indeed, suits are getting to be a more insistently important question every day that brings us nearer to Easter—which, if one reflects a moment, is but a month away. So this announcement is timely as it is important bringing word of

**Suit Assortments at the Height of Completeness in Style, in Color, in Fabric Varieties and at Prices Ranging from \$25 to \$225**

Sketching these splendid selections of suits in quick review only is possible here.

At \$25 to \$37.50—Suits for street and sports wear in the new fabrics, stockinet, tricotine, oxfords, in tans, beige, beaver, gray, blue.

At \$40 to \$65—Suits in the simple smart tailored lines, presenting the varied lengths in coats, even unto the new knee-length.

At \$75 to \$225—Suits in exclusive modes, "extra" sizes. White suits, too, at \$75 to \$87.50.

The Pictured Suits Representative in Mode Are Chosen from Featured Groups at \$32.50, \$45, \$52.50, \$65 and \$75.

The delightful little fashion individualities of the suit-coats may be noted in the picture, is of particular interest, however, that the skirts are designed to carry out the dominant of the coat—producing an unusual harmony of style.

Fourth Floor, North.

## The New Spring Blouses Are Here

And They Proclaim a Season of Delightful Individuality



Never were more and more fascinatingly different blouses all in one place all at one time than are here to-day.

Here are blouses as unaffectedly simple as the most "tailored" woman could want. Here are others aglow with color—sparkle with beads. Still others with a tempered dignity in line and richness in garniture.

**At \$5.75 to \$12.75, New Blouses**

New styles in Georgette crepe. Crepe de Chine used to develop some most uncommon modes. Collars high and low, and sometimes both at a time.

**At \$8.75, Embroidered Georgette Crepe Blouses—**

In gold-color, tea-rose tint, and flesh color. The design is worked out in beads, both large and small, and silken thread. Sketched at the left.

**At \$10.75, Beaded Georgette Crepe Blouses—**

The deep collar, almost waist up, the back, is as exquisitely beaded in front. In French blue, coral, and gold-color. Sketched at the right.

Fourth Floor, North.

## The March Sales for the Home Continue as Events of First Importance

APPRECIATING that especially in furnishings for the home substantial quality is a first essential, these March Sales stand as typical of the service this store renders its patrons.

Here are extensive assortments of furniture, Oriental and domestic rugs, silverware, curtains, housewares, bedspreads, each in turn disclosing opportunities for wise and gratifying selection, which, we doubt, will be duplicated in some time.

### Excellent Moquette Couch Covers at \$10

A recent arrival of a shipment of these Moquette couch covers brings a splendid assortment at a special March Sale pricing.

Mostly in Oriental rug patterns in color combinations to suit modern decorations.

**Real Madras Curtains, \$2.95 Pair**

A special grouping of geometrical and floral designs, some with plain centers bordered—in white or shades of drapery color.

Duchess and Irish Point curtains from St. Gall, Switzerland, in several patterns, in either white or ivory, at \$6.50 pair.

Swiss Brussels curtains, some with dainty borders and plain centers, all white—three special groupings at \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$9.50 pair.

Many other March Sale groups are of equal importance from a point of pricing and desirability.  
Sixth Floor, North.

### The March Sale of Silverware Features Sheffield Plate at \$5



Toast and marmalade set—the dish with basket handle—the glass jar inset in Sheffield plate receptacle and with Sheffield plate cover (pictured), \$5.

Hot roll trays in platinum finish with new border design in open work, also with applied edge, \$5.

Hand-hammered bread tray, new design, with applied border (pictured), \$5.

Roll basket with a gallery rim in pierced designs, either platinum or bright finish, \$5.

Many other groups of sterling silver and Sheffield plate offer throughout exceptionally worthy instances of the price advantages afforded at this time.  
First Floor, South.

An instance of the splendid variety and the pricing afforded by the March Sale will be found in the following assortments of Sheffield plate at \$5.

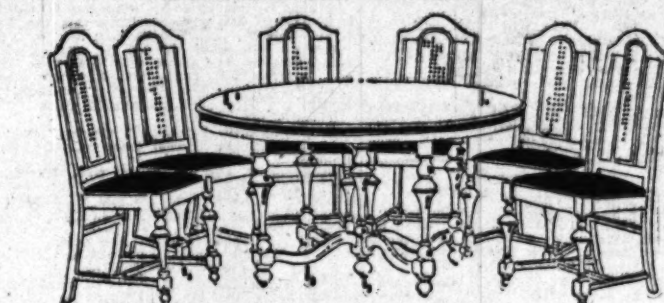
Cracker and cheese baskets, with handles which are moveable—in very attractive pierced designs, \$5.

Cracker and cheese dishes hand-hammered—two styles—one in pierced, the other in shield design, both with applied borders, \$5.

Fruit comports in good size, \$5.

Baking dish with Guernsey lining—different pierced designs to choose from—cover of plain Sheffield plate (pictured), \$5.

Serving trays, 16-inch size, with cut-out handles and applied hammered borders, \$5.



### Fifty Complete Sets of Dining Room Furniture

These pictured sets are offered at a special pricing. They are designed in the William and Mary period, of selected oak, in the Jacobean finish.

The table measures 6 ft. x 54 ins., and the rim and spreader underneath the table are beautifully molded.

The chairs, which match, have high cane backs, with slip seats, and are covered with genuine leather, in either brown or blue. The table and six chairs, complete, while the quantity lasts, \$65 set.



**These Fibre Reed Rockers with Cushion at \$9.50**

There are just one hundred of them, and they are finished in a soft, neutral shade of brown, fitted with cushions, covered in tapestry and made with apron front. Rocker or chair, \$9.50.

**Fibre Reed Leg Rests, \$5.50**

These were especially made to our order, of excellent quality fibre reed, and may be placed before any fibre reed rocker or chair, making a chaise longue. \$5.50.

Sixth Floor, North.

### March Sale of Oriental and Domestic Rugs

And the occasion spells opportunity, for those who take pride in their homes select from among advantageously priced collections of quality rugs.

**Small Oriental Rugs, \$13.50 to \$35**

These collections are composed of Beloochistan rugs in such typical colors as mahogany, old rose, dark blue and tan—various sizes.

**Mosul Rugs, Priced \$27.50 to \$90**

These collections are extremely interesting, as the Mosul rug is among the most desired of the Orientals in a wide range of designs and sizes.

**Caucasian Rugs, \$37.50 to \$50**

A splendid showing includes Shirvan, Daghestan and Caucasian rugs, with a splendid assortment of sizes, ranging in price from \$37.50 to \$50.

High Grade Wool Wilton Rugs, in the 9x12 Ft. Size Specially Priced, \$39.50. Other sizes are featured at proportionate price advantages, while seamless Axminster in the 9 x 12 ft. size are offered at \$32.50, and seamless velvet rugs in the 9 x 12 ft. size are offered in the March Sales at \$31.50 and \$41.50.

Seventh Floor, North.

### March Sale of Bedspreads

These are but a few of the important savings offered in this yearly event.

Imported dimity bedspreads with bolster covers to match, with scalloped edges, specially priced, in size 72 x 99 inches, \$6—in size 81 x 99 inches, \$6.50, and in size 90 x 99 inches, \$7 set.

Scalloped edge satin Marseilles bedspreads, with bolster covers to match, in size 90 x 96 inches, at \$5 set.

Satin finish Marseilles bedspreads, with scalloped edges—size 90 x 96 inches, at \$4 each.

Hemmed, satin finish Marseilles bedspreads in size 72 x 90 inches, at \$3.50 each.

Second Floor, North.

### Aluminum Ware Underpriced



with strong, big-headed rivets.

Berlin sauce pans, 3-quart size, 70c; 4-quart size, 80c.

Lipped sauce pans, 4-quart size, priced at 75c.

Lipped stewing kettles, 2-quart size, 65c; 3-quart size, 75c; 4-quart size, 85c; 6-quart size, 90c; 8-quart size, \$1; 10-quart size, \$1.10.

Two features make this an extraordinary event—quality and quantity.

Assortments are complete with almost every cooking utensil included. This aluminum ware is heavy gauge, splendidly finished, with all handles nicely retined and polished.

priced as follows:

Berlin kettles, 4-quart size, \$1.10; 6-quart size, \$1.50; 8-quart size, \$2.

Rice boilers, 3-quart size, are priced \$2.

Tea Kettles, 6-quart size, are priced \$2.25.

Sixth Floor, South.